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PRICE FIVE CENTS

CONGRESS WILL CONVENE MONDAY

SHORT STORIES

Facts With Frills, Facetious And Otherwise By "S. S."

Biting breeze.
Possum captured on Fifth street early Saturday night.

Christmas decorations are the motif for Port Arthur stores these days.

School kiddies return to studies Monday after the Thanksgiving holidays.

Bob Pace partook of evening repast among other late callers at Fuller's last night.

Teachers coming home from Thanksgiving holidays to renew work at school Monday.

School kids took one last fling at vacation last night and many joined in the dances.

Tanker E. W. Sinclair discharged cargo of fuel oil at the E. T. E. C. docks Saturday.

Woodrow Fuller opines that since wireless has come out he believes anything can be done.

George Moody admits about the only time he loses his smile is when he drops a record.

Couple of stray dogs and a 'possum played around in Fifth street at a late hour last night.

Sight of towing in a whale at jetties Saturday afternoon even attracted traveling men from this city.

Desk Sergeant Enright joined in the conversation about whales at coffee hour late Saturday night.

Rats with their headquarters in the storm sewers hold nightly revels out in the middle of Fifth street.

George Barker, Claude Stag and others formed a party motoring to Beaumont Saturday night to dance.

CROMOS TO BE CROWNED:
The city's best 'crown' contest will close at four o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Charlie Stevenson wants to play golf today, he said last night, but has an idea all the fans will be at Sabine.

Joe Park and Travis Holland were among the venturesome ones who scratched the whale's back while he was stuck in the mud off the jetties.

Party of seamen visiting the third floor of the Realty building Saturday night, had to be transferred to the ground floor in two installments to keep from overflowing the elevator.

Jim Sayer, fireman at Central station, scraped a pilot's 'off' side of the whale and has put it in alcohol. The fish is about three and one-half inches long, and looks like a whale himself.

Max D. Almond, of Corsicana, visiting Charlie Stevenson, of 500 De Queen boulevard, got the surprise of his life when his host took him out and showed him the grounded whale, friends relate.

Whale moored at pilots' dock at Sabine Pass Saturday night after Southern Pacific railroad officials refused to let the big fish be put to bed in their slip alongside the fish docks at Sabine.

Captain D. W. Eddy, resigned as scout executive here, left Saturday night for Lake Charles to visit home before starting out as a field representative for Boy Scout work in the Ninth region.

Little Mr. C. P. Nolen, Jr., weight 150 pounds, is the only one given the honor of being a member of the November 26 to gladden the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Nolen, Sr., of 2300 Sixth street.

Bob Rader returned to the Austin-Proctor corner club's open air stadium wearing a smile after he found his dentist had gone off deer hunting Saturday afternoon and would be unable to fill an engagement and one tooth.

Folks ran from all directions towards the Austin-Fifth street corner Saturday night when an explosion sounding like it was anything between a six shooter or a six inch cannon let go. Investigation developed a flivver back-fired.

The men who tied their flivvers together 'other night to get one of the gas wagons started and couldn't untie the rope or break it by jerking the slack up right sharply, wouldn't have had any trouble parting the rope if they'd wanted it to hold.

Weather Report
EAST TEXAS: Sunday, fair warmer in east portion; Monday, fair, light to moderate southerly winds on the coast.
WEST TEXAS: Sunday and Monday, fair.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Weather outlook for the period December 1 to 6 inclusive:
Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valley: Fair at the beginning and rain and snow toward the middle and again toward the end of the week. Moderate temperatures but with rather marked alterations.
West Gulf States: Mostly fair weather and moderate temperatures.

DUFF PARLEY IS CONCLUDED

No Change In Position Is Achieved

BURGE CONFIDENT

I. C. C. Decision Expected To Be Victory

Conference between Col. R. C. Duff and Kansas City Southern officials relative to a proposal by the K. C. S. to get on some kind of working basis by which Duff might use K. C. S. facilities from Beaumont to Port Arthur ended today with no change in attitude of either side. Col. Duff's position as cited several months ago was that such an arrangement would be unsatisfactory for the reason that it would result in the loss to his company of a one way haul. Telegram stating that the conference had resulted in no agreement was received here Saturday night.

They are Confident
While the discussion was considered definitely ended when the proposal first was made during the course of the Austin hearing, it was again brought up through the auspices of the Interstate Commerce commission, when the K. C. S. it was thought, might affect a working agreement which would be based on a proposal by the line that would be fair to Duff.

In the event that the K. C. S. would agree to an arrangement which would permit Duff profitably to use that line from Beaumont to the water front here, it was regarded, this would constitute a precedent which would establish the right of other lines to the water front here.

In the light of developments, with particular as to the proceedings of the conference not known here, it was believed by chamber officials that the K. C. S. might have become alarmed at this possibility and decided to entertain the plan.

"The Port Arthur delegates to Washington are confident of a victory for this city and port," said Manager Art Burge of the Port Arthur chamber of commerce and shipping on his return from Washington.

Many Show Interest
The hearing of the Duff case before the Interstate Commerce commission leaves no doubt in our minds the decision will be a favorable one for Port Arthur and that little cognizance will be taken of the report of their special examiner which contained a suggestion that the proposed line find a tide water terminal on the Neches river.

Manager Burge further commented on the number of interested congressmen who were present at the hearing and the questions they asked pertaining to Port Arthur, the facilities here and the progress of its growth as a shipping and industrial center.

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Composer Dies In Belgium

Giocoma Puccini Succumbs To Heart Attack

BRUSSELS, Nov. 29.—An impressive funeral was held by Belgian authorities in co-operation with the Italian colony in Belgium for Giocoma Puccini, world famous operatic composer who died here today from a heart attack.

His body will lie in state up to time of the funeral and throngs of music lovers will pass the bier.

Few modern composers have been as generally beloved by Americans as Puccini. In recognition of this sentiment, scenes of his "The Girl of the Golden West" were laid in the United States and the flavor of its music is decidedly American.

Puccini visited this country in 1907, attending the American opening of his "Manon Lescaut."

Bandits Chloroform Fighting Victims

HOUSTON, Nov. 29.—Throwing a cloth saturated with chloroform over the mouth of S. I. Pierce, 52, laundry truck driver, two masked hijackers robbed him of \$80, in the outskirts of the city tonight.

The bandits used chloroform after Pierce and his son attacked the pair who had covered them with pistols. Both the father and son were badly beaten.

Two other robberies were reported to police.

13 Hurt When Cars Crash at Junction

SAGINAW, Mich., Nov. 29.—Thirteen passengers on two Michigan interurban trains were injured in a collision at a junction near here tonight. Two of the victims were not expected to live.

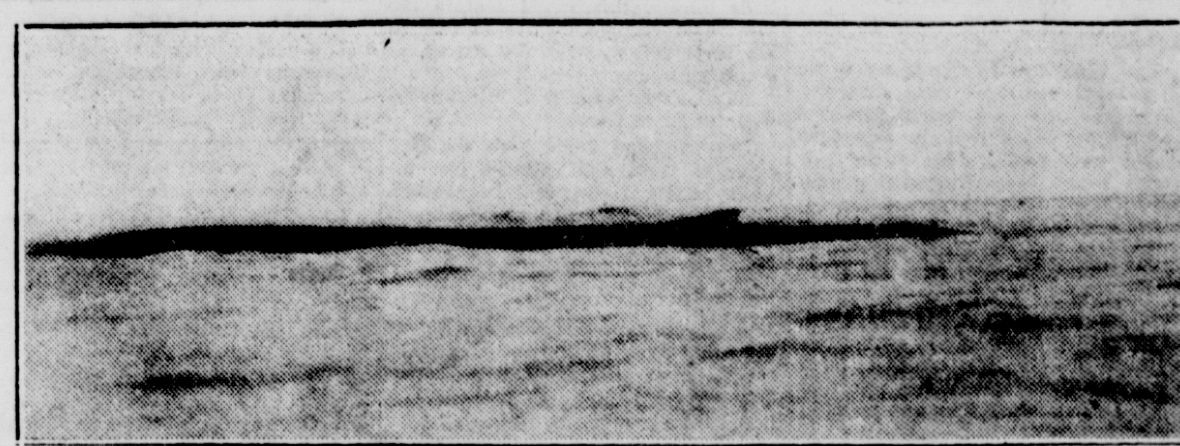
Port Arthur's Whale Is Towed to Sabine Dock

All roads will lead to Sabine Pass Sunday where a real live whale, over 60 feet long and weighing nearly 60 tons awaits thousand of sightseers eager for their first glimpse of a deep sea monster.

Little the worse for having been towed 10 miles around the east jetty from the mudbank where he grounded some time Wednesday night, the whale was safely moved to the pilots' wharf at Sabine Pass late Saturday night.

Two hawsers were broken before the derrick barge and a small tug boat managed to pull the mammoth out of the mud and into deep water early Saturday afternoon when a rising tide enabled the whalers to start getting their prize to land. Everything was in readiness early Saturday for towing the whale in, but the tide was out and the derrick barge and tug could not get close enough to connect with the big fish.

Off the end of the jetty, in deep



water, the whale nearly escaped when he either broke the hawser or slipped it off his tail, and only speedy work made recapture possible. Captain Cott Plummer, who directed the work, decried Saturday night. Credit for

getting another line around the whale is due Captain Dan Bramley, skipper of the pilot tug Florida, and two sailors, who put out in a yawl and had the whale in tow within 15 minutes after he got adrift, according

to Captain Plummer.
Plans for putting the whale in the Southern Pacific railroad ship at the fish docks, Sabine, had to be abandoned Saturday when permission to use the slip was denied by H. J.

Mickel, superintendent of the Southern Pacific's Beaumont division with headquarters in Houston, who made a special trip to see about arrangements for exhibiting the whale. The whaling party passed Sabine between 6 and 7 o'clock Saturday night and proceeded to the pilot's wharf at Sabine Pass.

Excursions over the Southern Pacific railroad to bring visitors to Sabine Pass to view the whale may be run next week, depending upon the interest, but no official arrangements for any excursions have been made or will be until later, George Wedell, Southern Pacific agent in Port Arthur, said. Kansas City Southern railroad officials indicated Saturday that excursions would be run over their line only in the event the whale is brought up to Port Arthur and placed on exhibition here, and this is not likely, owners of the whale (Turn to Page 2, Column 1.)

City Manager Club Puts Ticket In Field For Charter Revision

MORE DELAY IN ELECTION LOOMS

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Engraved Election Certificates Sent

BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—Certificates of election, beautifully engraved, were being prepared here today by County Judge B. R. Johnson for successful candidates in the recent election. No such certificates have ever been issued before in the history of the county. In previous years, the county judge has simply issued a small typewritten notice, advising the candidate of his election. The new certificates resemble a diploma. They are engraved and finished with a heavy gold border and are suitable for framing.

ANOTHER CITY TAKING ROOT

Land Near Nederland Cut Into Lots

Nucleus of a new city to lie on the paved highway between Nederland and Beaumont is a-borning.

Friday the Kansas City Southern railroad purchased 19 acres of land to be used in a facilities development program.

Today W. P. H. McFaddin, from whom the 19 acres were purchased at a price of \$2500 an acre, announced that his acreage adjacent to the land sold to the K. C. S. has been divided into building lots and will be placed on the market shortly.

The 19 acres purchased by the K. C. S. from McFaddin is located on the Port Arthur road and adjoins other acreage purchased for switching yards and other facilities about a year ago.

McFaddin also owns land on the south side of the K. C. S. holdings but has announced no plans for dividing this.

Among the railroads affected were the Santa Fe, Southern Pacific, Colorado & Southern, El Paso & Southwestern System, Gulf Coast Lines, Kansas City Southern, Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad, Missouri Pacific and Texas & Pacific.

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MAYOR LEADS

Holcombe Has Majority In Houston Election

HOUSTON, Nov. 29.—On the face of incomplete returns early this evening, Mayor Oscar F. Holcombe was returned to office for the third consecutive term by one of the largest majorities ever given a candidate for city office.

In practically every precinct the popular candidate was leading his two opponents four to one.

Ku Klux Klan and anti-Klan lines which have been closely drawn here in recent years, were apparently wiped out in the overwhelming vote to return Holcombe to office.

ARREST SANTA CLAUS FOR CARRYING AN AD

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 29.—Santa Claus was arrested here today.

Because Charles T. Walker paraded in the costume of Santa but with an advertisement of a local clothing store plastered on his back, he was held on charges of violating the city advertising ordinance.

Judge Rules Drunks O.K. In Own Room

DALLAS, Nov. 29.—You can get drunk in your own room, but don't leave the room and molest anyone or you'll violate the law.

This was Judge P. D. Crawford's ruling in Dallas police court today when a man arrested in a drunk town hotel testified "he was drunk but stayed in his own room."

Judge Crawford dismissed the case.

75,000 GIVEN WAGE BOOST

Employees of 45 Railroads Are Affected

RAIL BOARD ACTS

Increase of 5 Per Cent Is Authorized

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Wage increases approximating five per cent more than present rates of pay were granted engineers and firemen of 45 western railroads tonight by United States railroad labor board.

The pay boosts affect more than 75,000 employees. It is the raise petitioned for last May that resulted in the bringing of contempt charges against representatives of the employees who refused to appear before the board to arbitrate.

The carriers were granted modifications in certain working condition requirements. The modifications thought considered a victory for the roads, contain requirements for a different method of figuring the pay of the engine men which the employees contend will increase their pay.

Chairman Ben Hooper of the board said the increase would pour millions of dollars into the pockets of the employees.

Decision to award the employees wage requests and carrier working conditions modification requests was reached in executive session late today after the board had balloted more than 100 times on the question. No dissenting opinion was issued.

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Lake Sabine, Rice Canal Pump Offers Before Water Meet

CHRISTMAS? SURE, IT'S HERE AGAIN!

OUT of Santa Claus' workshops at the North Pole where brownies and fairies have worked through the long cold summer months the first shipments of toys and dolls are arriving in Port Arthur.

Less than a month from now old Santa Claus himself will hitch up his reindeer and swirl through the sky in his jingling sleigh, gathering up the playthings to spread Christmas joy in Port Arthur homes.

TOY trains operated with electric current and running on schedule time to block lights and signals, motorboats, sailing boats, automobiles in and out of garages, dolls that talk, laugh, cry and go to sleep, doll houses, furnished from attic to cellar, including the best fast food, and scores of gay and gaily playthings to delight little boys and girls, are in Port Arthur stores, waiting for Santa Claus to magically distribute them the night before Christmas.

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THE GUMPS—THE FAMILY SKELETON

HEY—IS THAT BUNKEN DERELICT STILL HERE? I'VE HAD THAT WRECK FOR BREAKFAST, DINNER AND SUPPER— I'VE HAD IT HOT, COLD AND LUKE-WARM— YOU DIDN'T FOOL ME LAST NIGHT WHEN YOU SERVED IT IN A CHAFING DISH— I KNEW IT WAS WASH— I'M SO FULL OF TURKEY I FEEL LIKE A PART OF CONSTANTINOPLE— THE REVERENCE I ONCE HAD FOR THAT BIRD HAS TURNED TO HORROR AND CONTEMPT.

WHAT DO YOU WANT ME TO DO? PAY SIXTY TWO CENTS A POUND FOR A TURKEY AND THROW IT AWAY? THAT'S THE THANKS I GET FOR TRYING TO BE ECONOMICAL—

YOU SAVE AND I'LL STARVE— I'M A BIG HEALTHY MAN— I CRAVE SUSTENANCE— THANKSGIVING DAY IS OVER BUT YOU WON'T FIND IT OUT FOR A COUPLE OF WEEKS— THERE'S MORE MEAT ON A BILLIARD BALL THAN THERE IS ON THAT REMNANT—

AFTER BEING SMOTHERED IN TURKEY PORK AND BEANS WILL TASTE LIKE STRAWBERRIES AND CREAM— THE FELLOW WHO SAID "FAMILIARITY BREEDS CONTEMPT" MUST HAVE THOUGHT OF THAT GEM OF TRUTH A COUPLE OF DAYS AFTER THANKSGIVING— TURKEY AFTER THANKSGIVING IS ABOUT AS USEFUL AS THE HEADACHE THAT COMES AFTER NEW YEARS DAY.

REG'LAR FELLERS

On To Smiggs'

By GENE BYRNES

C'MON FELLERS! HURRY UP! THEY HAVE A NEW BOY DOWN IN SMIGGS GROCERY SELLIN THE LOLLYPOPS!

NUTHIN DOIN'! I'M GONNA GET MINE IN MERRILL'S!

SO AM I!

AW C'MON!

WE WILL NOT! IF HE'S NEW AN DON'T KNOW US HE WON'T GIVE US VERY MANY LOLLYPOPS FOR A NICKEL! WHADDO WE WANNA GO THERE FOR?

THE NEW KID NEEDED TO SCHOOL AN MISTER SMIGGS SAYS HIS COUNTEIN IS SUMPTIN' AWFUL!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Must Be a Sweet Tooth

By BLOSSER

GEES—I'M GLAD IT AIN'T ME THAT'S GOT TH TOOTHACHE— I'LL BRING YOU TH HOT SALT BAG NOW, FRECKLES.

SHRIEK

GRACIOUS! WHAT A TERRIBLE CRY!

POOR FRECKLES! DOES YOUR TOOTH HURT YOU SO BADLY?

NO, MY TOOTH DUZNT HURT NOW BUT HERE I LAY AS SICK AS ANYTHING AN NO ONE BRINGS ME ANY CANDY!!

SALESMAN

A Sort of Rounder's Life

By SWAN

HELLO HANK OLE HOSS—HOWZA BOY? — JEAT? C'MON ALONG— I'M GOING IN HERE AND INSERT SOME GROCERIES

HASH—HOUSE

FRESH (REPRINT) HERE OFF

WHAT'S TH' MATTER— YOU LOOK LIKE YOU ARE ALL IN

I'M SICK— I GUESS I'M GONNA KICK IN

NO— WE HAVE YES CHERRY— ALSO FRESH TOAD STOOL YESTERDAY

APPLESAUCE! TH' TROUBLE WITH YOU IS, YOU DONT GET AROUND ENOUGH.

I DONT, DONT I? — SAY— FOR TH' LAST SIX MONTHS

I'VE BEEN WORKING ON A MERRY-GO-ROUND!

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By STANLEY

HMM—THIS IS THE FIRST TIME THAT A TURKEY WISHBONE EVER BROKE IN MY FAVOR! — DO YOU WANT TO KNOW WHAT MY SECRET WISH WAS? — I WISHED THAT YOU WOULD GO TO WORK! — I'LL JUST SEE NOW IF MY WISH COMES TRUE! —

FAUGH! — THAT LEGEND OF THE WISH BONE IS BUT SILLY FOLDEROL! I DID NOT MAKE ANY WISH AT ALL, BECAUSE I DO NOT BELIEVE SUCH FIDDLE FADDLE! —

SHE MIGHT JUST AS WELL WISHED TO BE IN ON A BARGAIN SALE AT TH' MINT! — WHY, THAT LAD WOULDN'T EVEN LABOR UNDER AN ILLUSION!

HERE'S TH' ACE OF 'EM ALL— HE'S LAZIER THAN A RETIRED LOAFER! — LAY THAT ON TH' SHELF!

GIT FER HOME BRUNO!

WAIT BOYS— WERE WATCHED AND I DONT LIKE TH' LOOK ON CHIEF OTEY'S FACE— IT AINT NATURAL!

YOU SAY— THE BIG NEW CHECKER BOARD BELONGS TO BOB SOWERS?

NO— NO— I SAY THERE'S NO USE SARAH MAY WATCH FOR HOURS!

IT NOT CLAIMED BY RIGHTFUL OWNERS WITHIN TEN DAYS WILL BE DESTROYED

THE CHECKER PARAPHERNALIA CAPTURED BY AUNT SARAH PEABODY WHEN SHE RAIDED THE FIRE STATION SEVERAL DAYS AGO— WAS STILL UNCLAIMED AT A LATE HOUR TODAY—

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton

NO. 11—A CHILLY RIDDLE

So Tom Tucker had five sandwiches, and Jack Horner had three pieces of fruit cake.

All the Mother Goose people on Pippin Hill were so interested in the Riddle Lady's riddles that nobody had moved scarcely.

But after while Mrs. John insisted on serving tea in the orchard.

"It's quite correct to have tea at five, you know," she said, "and it will give your brains a rest."

So Tom Tucker had five sandwiches, and Jack Horner had three pieces of fruit cake and Miss Muffet had ever so many cups of tea, and everybody had a fine time.

The Riddle Lady was soon rested and she got ready to ask the next riddle.

"Is the next one to rhyme?" asked Nancy.

"I can make it either way," said the Riddle Lady. "I can make it to rhyme or not to rhyme. Whichever you like."

"Let's vote on it," suggested Mrs. John. "I never liked to vote but it seems to be the only way to find out just what people want."

"It's a good idea," said Mrs. Spratt. "Let's vote."

So Nancy and Nick took small pieces of paper and passed around to all the people on Pippin Hill and they wrote on them "yes" or "no" according to their views.

The yes' had it, so the Riddle Lady made her next riddle in rhyme.

"It's not very hard," said she. "It is far easier than a cross-word puzzle, at least."

So she began:

"There is a chap who bothers us, a teasing, freezing fellow. He comes late in the autumn and turns the leaves all yellow. Shakes sugar on the pumpkin, and sugar on the grape. But leaves the corn and all the flowers in dreadful shape. He nips the rose and dahlia, the golden-rod and phlox. And ruins all the tiny leaves of privet hedge and box. He jumps upon the cat-tails all sleek in velvet brown. And slits their jackets up the back and musses them with down. He dusts the fences, fields and trees with powder white as milk. And slyly cracks the milkweed pods and spills out all the silk. He spends the winter bragging about the things he does. He paints designs on windows—great ferns of misty fuzz. He freezes hard the water in lily pond and puddle. And chuckles like a silly goose when things get in a muddle. And all the little turtles and fishes in the river. Turn slowly into chunks of ice and haven't room to shiver."

"Goodness! That's an easy one," said Mister Bunting. "It's Jack Frost I know. That's why I go hunting for rabbit skins in the fall—to keep him from nipping my family."

"Right!" said the Riddle Lady.

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CHILD'S STORY OF THE HUMAN RACE

By Uncle RAY

THE FIRST PRINTED NEWSPAPERS.

If you will look at the word "news" you will see that it contains the initials of the four directions—north, east, west and south. Some one noticed this long ago and set up a claim that the word was "coined" out of those four letters, "because news came from all directions." As a matter of fact, that is a seems to be just fancy. The men who make dictionaries say that "news" comes from "new," and we can well believe them. News is the report of recent events.

In all ages, people have wanted to know what was going on in the world. They wrote leaflets about politics and kings.

For a long while, the leaflets were not put out at regular times. When a man got a new idea, he would have a leaflet printed. Then he might wait a month or a year before he put out another one.

By and by, certain men decided to print leaflets every so often—say once or twice a week. They decided to print news as well as their own ideas. Perhaps they thought that people would buy the leaflets for the sake of the news, and might read the ideas of the editor, too.

It is hard to say where the first news-leaflets or newspapers were printed. London and Paris seem to have the best claims; and London was probably ahead of Paris. The British museum contains three copies of a newspaper said to have been put out by order of Queen Elizabeth when the Spanish Armada was coming near England.

"News of the Present Week" was started by an Englishman named Butter some 25 years later. It was largely made up of second-hand or third-hand gossip.

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CONGRESS WILL CONVENE MONDAY

SHORT STORIES

Facts With Frills, Facetious And Otherwise By "S. S."

Biting breeze.
"Possum captured on Fifth street early Saturday night."

Christmas decorations are the motif for Port Arthur stores these days.

School kiddies return to studies Monday after the Thanksgiving holidays.

Bob Pace partook of evening repast among other late callers at Fuller's last night.

Teachers coming home from Thanksgiving holidays to renew work at school Monday.

School kids took one last fling at vacation last night and many joined in the dances.

Tanker E. W. Sinclair discharged cargo of fuel oil at the E. T. E. C. docks Saturday.

Woodrow Fuller opines that since wireless has come out he believes anything can be done.

George Moody admits about the only time he loses his smile is when he drops a record.

Couple of stray dogs and a "possum" played around in Fifth street at a late hour last night.

Sight of towing in a whale at jetties Saturday afternoon even attracted traveling men from this city.

Desk Sergeant Enright joined in the conversation about whales at coffee hour late Saturday night.

Rats with their headquarters in the storm sewers hold nightly revels out in the middle of Fifth street.

George Barker, Claude Stagg and others formed a party motoring to Beaumont Saturday night to dance.

CROMOS TO BE CROWNED: The day that moves a street intersection clock four years off center.

Charlie Stevenson wants to play golf today, he said last night, but has an idea all the time will be at Sabine.

Joe Park and Travis Holland were among the venturesome ones who scratched the whale's back while he was stuck in the mud off the jetties.

Party of seamen visiting the third floor of the Realty building Saturday P. M. had to be transferred to the ground floor in two installments to keep from overflowing the elevator.

Jim Salzer, fireman at Central station, scraped a pilot "off the side" of the whale and has put it in alcohol. The fish is about three and one-half inches long, and looks like the whale himself.

Max D. Almond, of Corsicana, visiting Charlie Stevenson, of 500 De Queen boulevard, got the surprise of his life when his host took him out and showed him the grounded whale.

Whale moored at pilot's dock at Sabine Pass Saturday night after Southern Pacific railroad officials refused to let the big fish be put to bed in their slip alongside the fish docks at Sabine.

Captain D. W. Eddy, resigned as scout executive here, left Saturday P. M. for Lake Charles to visit home before starting out as a field representative for Boy Scout work in the Ninth region.

Little Mr. C. P. Nolen, Jr., weight 16 pounds, is the new given the Port Arthur newcomer who arrived November 26 to gladden the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Nolen, Sr., of 2300 Sixth street.

Bob Rader returned to the Austin Proctor corner club's open air stadium wearing a smile after he found his dentist had gone off deer hunting Saturday afternoon and would be unable to fill an engagement and one tooth.

Folks ran from all directions to wards the Austin-Fifth street corner Saturday night when an explosion sounding like it was anything between a six shooter or a six inch cannon let go. Investigation developed a flivver back-fired.

The men who tied their flivvers to gether "other night to get one of the gas weapons started and couldn't untie the rope or break it by jerking the slack up right sharply, wouldn't have had any trouble parting the rope if they'd wanted it to hold.

Weather Report
EAST TEXAS: Sunday, fair, light to moderate southerly winds on the coast.
WEST TEXAS: Sunday and Monday, fair.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Weather outlook for the period December 1 to 4 inclusive:
Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valley: Fair at the beginning, but rain and snow about the middle and again toward the end of the week.
Moderate temperatures, but with rather marked alterations.
West Gulf States: Mostly fair weather and moderate temperatures.

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Bandits Chloroform
Fighting Victims

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Crash at Junction

SAGINAW, Mich., Nov. 29.—Thirteen passengers on two Michigan interurban trains were injured in a collision at a junction near here tonight. Two of the victims were not expected to live.

HOUSTON, Nov. 29.—Houston's supply of Christmas cheer, at least a large part of it, will never "cheer."

Armed with a search warrant, a bevy of deputy sheriffs swooped down on a "hard liquor" manufacturing plant in the outskirts of the city tonight, seized 125 gallons of wine, 28 gallons of white whisky, 100 gallons of apricot mash and one 40-gallon still running a steady stream.

DUFF PARLEY IS CONCLUDED

No Change In Position Is Achieved

BURGE CONFIDENT

I. C. C. Decision Expected to Be Victory

Conference between Col. R. C. Duff and Kansas City Southern officials relative to a proposal by the K. C. S. to get on some kind of working basis by which Duff might use K. C. S. facilities from Beaumont to Port Arthur ended today with no change in attitude of either side.

Col. Duff's position as cited several months ago was that such an arrangement would be unsatisfactory for the reason that it would result in the loss to his company of a one way haul. Telegram stating that the conference had resulted in no agreement was received here Saturday night.

They are confident

While the discussion was considered definitely ended when the proposal first was made during the course of the Austin hearing, it was again brought up through the auspices of the Interstate Commerce commission, when the K. C. S. it was thought, might affect a working agreement which would be based on a proposal by the line that would be fair to Duff.

In the event that the K. C. S. would agree to an arrangement which would permit Duff profitably to use that line from Beaumont to the water front here, it was regarded, this would constitute a precedent which would establish the right of other lines to the water front here.

In the light of developments, with particulars as to the proceedings of the conference not known here, it was believed by chamber officials that the K. C. S. might have become alarmed at this possibility and decided to entertain the plan.

"The Port Arthur delegates to Washington are confident of a victory for this city and port," said Manager Art Burge of the Port Arthur chamber of commerce and shipping on his return from Washington.

Many Show Interest

"The hearing of the Duff case before the Interstate Commerce commission leaves no doubt in our minds the decision will be a favorable one for Port Arthur and that little cognizance will be taken of the report of their special examining which contained a suggestion that the proposed line find a tide water terminal on the Neches river."

Manager Burge further commented on the number of interested congressmen who were present at the hearing and the questions they asked pertaining to Port Arthur, the facilities here and the progress of its growth as a shipping and industrial center.

Commission Fails to Hear Ordinance Friday

TWO TICKETS SLATED

1924 Poll Tax May Be Factor to Be Reckoned

Nominees for city charter revision commissioners officially were placed in the field Saturday night by the City Manager club, composed of a large group of Port Arthur citizens for the purpose of inaugurating the city manager form of government for Port Arthur.

This ticket is the second in the field, the first having been named at a meeting of the People's Government league held in the city hall Monday night, when a motion for charter revision was voted by members of the league, organized in opposition to the city manager movement.

Manager Club Nominees

Nominees named by the City Manager Club are:

W. A. Slater, C. M. Mitchell, J. R. Denney, H. C. Crawford, F. E. Gilford, Mrs. K. A. Young, W. T. Hooker, Dr. M. P. Bledsoe.

Fred P. Dodge, Mrs. H. K. Goodwin, C. E. Paxton, R. L. Drake, John Bourne, Perry Pace, Davis Patton.

At the city hall meeting Monday night the following nominees were named by the People's Government league:

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K. A. Young, V. A. Wisner, A. L. Bailey, R. A. Shivers, T. A. Hughes, B. A. Martin, E. Bacher, C. B. Whitlington, J. T. Stripling, L. A. Collins, Dr. J. T. Young, J. B. Carter, Sam Nicks, W. A. Martin, Mrs. K. A. Young, Mrs. L. B. Buff, C. A. Leong, E. Broadway, T. Lambert, R. H. Holstein, Dr. W. B. Johnson, A. F. Wolford.

H. E. Banker, Neal Rader, Rev. C. W. Culp, Mrs. H. K. Goodwin, J. A. Linstrom, J. B. Truett, H. Henderson, J. C. Maul, W. T. Carter, Mark Majors, Dr. E. D. Ames, William Burman, L. Schuh, T. N. Cochran, H. Y. Harrel, Dr. R. K. Orrill, Dr. C. D. Crawford, Rev. T. A. Davis, J. C. Reynolds and W. H. Bailey.

As the two slates stand the City Manager club has 15 candidates in the field, the People's Government league has 42. Included in the league (Turn to Page 2, Column 3.)

Composer Dies in Belgium

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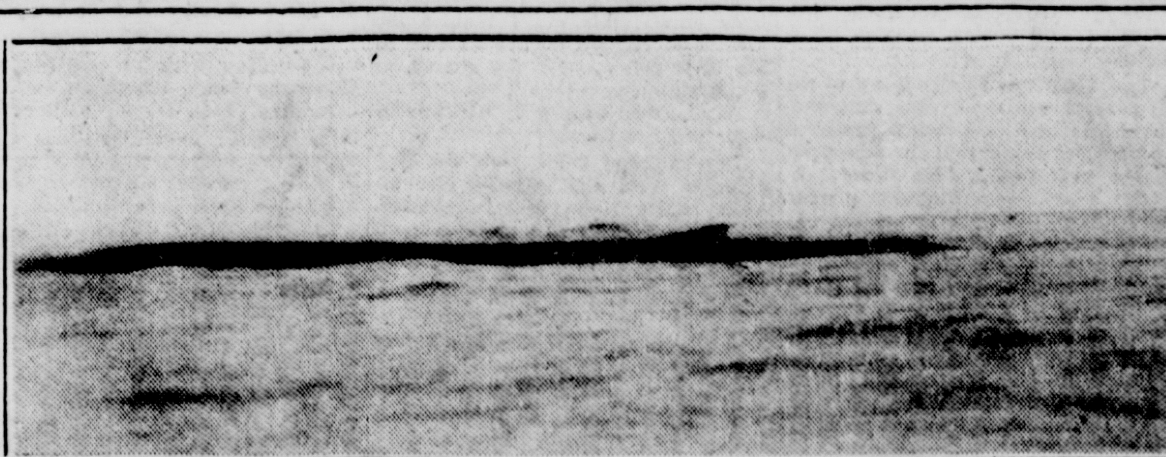
Port Arthur's Whale Is Towed to Sabine Dock

All roads will lead to Sabine Pass Sunday where a real, live whale, over 60 feet long and weighing nearly 60 tons awaits thousands of sightseers eager for their first glimpse of a deep sea monster.

Little the worse for having been towed 10 miles around the east jetty from the mudbank where he grounded some time Wednesday night, the whale was safely moored to the pilot's wharf at Sabine Pass late Saturday night.

Two haulers were broken before the derrick barge and a small tug boat managed to pull the mammoth out of the mud and into deep water early Saturday afternoon when a rising tide enabled the whalers to start getting their prize to land. Everything was in readiness early Saturday for towing the whale in, but the tide was out and the derrick barge and tug could not get close enough to connect with the big fish.

Off the end of the jetty, in deep water, the whale nearly escaped when he eluded broke the hauler or slipped off his tail, and only speedy work made recapture possible. Captain Cott Plummer, who directed the work, docked Saturday night. Credit for



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setting another line around the whale is due Captain Dan Bramley, skipper of the pilot tug Florida, and two sailors, who put out in a jawl and had the whale in tow within 15 minutes after he got adrift, according to Captain Plummer.

Plans for putting the whale in the Southern Pacific railroad ship at the fish docks, Sabine, had to be abandoned Saturday when permission to use the slip was denied by H. J.

Mickel, superintendent of the Southern Pacific's Beaumont division with headquarters in Houston, who made a special trip to see about arrangements for exhibiting the whale. The whaling party passed Sabine between 6 and 7 o'clock Saturday night and proceeded to the pilot's wharf at Sabine Pass.

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BIGGER ARMY NEEDED, WEEKS DECLARES

WANTS 150,000 ENLISTED MEN

Warns Nation Economy May Hurt Army

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—A bigger and better equipped army was recommended by Secretary of War Weeks today in his annual report to the president. Warning the nation that exaggerated economy was impairing the regular army's efficiency, Weeks recommended increasing the enlisted strength from 118,000 to 150,000 and the replenishment of munitions and equipment.

Weeks' report adopted almost every recommendation made by Gen. J. J. Pershing in the latter's report giving his final views on the needs of the army before he went into retirement.

More National Guards

A program of gradual expansion extending over a 10-year period was outlined by the secretary. Special recommendations, based upon elaborate reports of the chiefs of the various military departments and particularly on the proposal embodied in General Pershing's final report included:

- 1—Increase air service equipment and personnel to 3,000 officers and 25,000 men.
- 2—Regular army of 150,000 and 13,000 officers instead of the present 118,000 and 12,000.
- 3—Gradual increase of national guard from the present strength of 175,000 to 250,000, and ultimately to 450,000 men as provided in the national defense act.
- 4—Annual intensive training of 25,000 to 30,000 organized reserves instead of the present 6,500.
- 5—Reserve officers training camps to produce 7,000 officers annually instead of the present 3,000.
- 6—Increase appropriations for citizens' military training camps which last June were attended by 49,294 men.
- 7—New quarters for officers and men.
- 8—Replenishment of munitions and equipment.
- 9—Better coast defense and improved storage facilities at Hawaii and the canal zone.
- 10—Promotion by selection instead of seniority of two per cent of officers up to grade of major.
- 11—Amendment of law to permit enlistments in the regular army for one or three years at the option of the secretary of war instead of at the option of the recruit.

Port Arthur's Other Whale Brought Excursion Trains

Monster Was Finally Mounted and Shown at Fairs and Finally Buried in Chicago Fire

The capture of a whale today calls to the minds of many of the older residents the excitement of March 8, 1910, when the now well known "Port Arthur" whale was captured in the oil pond to the westward of the jetties.

On that morning Captain Cott Plummer of the pilots, on duty outside, located a 63-foot sperm apparently grounded on the flats in the oil pond.

The huge mammal was in deep enough water for the pilot tug to get within distance and from it Captain Plummer took a small boat and line and "boarded" the whale. He passed a line about its tail and the Florida took up the slack, gradually pulling its tow, very much alive, off into deep water.

After some maneuvering the tug got straightened out and went into Sabine where the whale was temporarily moored along side the Southern-Pacific shed wharf.

The news soon spread in the city and the road, a much rougher highway than now exists, was lined with cars bearing citizens to their first sight of a whale.

It Was Alive

Some of these will recall that those who crowded the edge of the wharf were thoroughly drenched as an answer to their questions "is it alive." At intervals the huge body came to the surface and "blow," sending up a solid 6-inch stream of water.

There were some preparations made during the afternoon and shortly before dark the pilot tug stood by and with the assistance of a launch to watch the lines, slowly steamed away from the wharf with the whale in tow, being pulled tail first. The trip was a slow one, as the few who knew anything at all about whales were of the opinion that the big animal could not be taken the distance alive.

He stood the first part of the trip well, coming up and blowing at intervals, but half way up the canal the breathings became further apart and the last fourth of the distance the tug was pulling a dead weight.

It was 1 o'clock in the morning when the whale was towed into the city slip and it was determined that he was dead, drowned in his natural element owing to the fact that the strain kept on his tail to prevent his thrashing, also served to prevent him coming up to blow.

The next day and night was devoted to getting the great bulk out on the bank. Steam winches were planted and the bulk sloped off and the feat was finally accomplished.

The scene was something like that when the sunken Isomzo was raised in the canal above the city some weeks ago.

Special Trains Run

A board wall was erected about the space and as the press dispatches carried the story to surrounding towns and cities, special excursion trains were advertised by the railroads and for a week Port Arthur was the center of interest.

Thousands of persons passed the gates daily and whatsoeever became the study of the hour. Professors of zoology came here from schools and universities but in the warm spring weather the whale didn't improve in its position in Lakeshore park.

All sorts of expert advice was asked by those in charge as to ways and means of eliminating the increasing odor and all sorts of embalming processes were tried, but without success.

This being a whale of the sperm variety, it was a simple operation to drain the sperm oil from the head and visitors took away souvenir bottles which sold on the ground for from 10 to 25 cents.

Taken to Fair.

The sperm oil is carried in a cavity in the skull and, according to authorities, is provided by nature as a means of the whale raising and lowering himself.

An inch pipe was driven into the skull and between ten and eleven barrels of oil were drawn off, it being afterward shipped to a northern plant to be prepared for market in the form of watch and sewing machine lubrication.

The whale was finally taken to sea on a barge and the carcass dissected, the bones and skin being preserved and a close watch kept for ambergris in the body cavity, that sticky substance which is to the prospector, it has a market value of about its weight in gold and paradoxical as it may sound, is used as the base for many perfumes.

The original Port Arthur whale was mounted and taken to many fairs and expositions on a barge to meet its end finally when, a part of an exhibit, it was burned in a suburb of Chicago.

More Delay

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late, however, are a dozen or more claimed by the City Manager club to be in favor of the city manager form.

Election to name 15 from the two slates to serve as charter revision commissioners will be held January 3, according to instructions issued to City Attorney V. J. Wistner by Mayor J. P. Logan for an ordinance to that effect, following a vote by the city commission when it was found that December 27, the original date designated, would not meet the legal requirements calling for the lapse of 30 days as required by law.

Ordinance Not Ready

Friday, it was believed, would witness required reading of this ordinance. Friday passed without the ordinance being read or the commission meeting.

As a result it was declared Saturday night as being practically a certainty that the city commission will declare a further postponement in the election date.

In this election should it be held January 3, Port Arthur would witness one of those queer manifestations of election laws which crop out now and then—that of a 1925 election being held with voters wielding their 1923 poll tax receipts.

This is due to the requirements of the state election law, which defines the poll tax year as January 31, to January 31. In the primary elections the 1923 poll tax receipts were required of voters. If the charter revision election were to be held after January 31, the 1924 poll tax receipts would be required of voters at the polls.

Some speculation was rife Saturday as to probability of the city commission further deferring the election. Last set for January 3, it was considered as a possibility that circumstances might arise which, in the order of things, conceivably throw the election date into February.

Forced Organized

Should this happen a brand new style of poll tax receipt would be required—those bearing the imprint "1924." And since 1924 poll taxes are now payable, some speculation was voiced as to what might happen if the election was called, say, for February 15. From a speculative basis purely, this would require the balance of citizens eligible to vote to pay their poll taxes in the remaining December-January period.

What would happen if this was to occur is guess work.

The week-end found both the city manager form and People's Government league forces well organized. The City Manager club announced Saturday night that more than a thousand names had been secured on its membership rolls, with probabilities that this number would be doubled or more than doubled before the end of another week.

"The more publicity and investigation which is given the proposal for the city manager form finds any popular prejudice which may exist against it dwindling," Perry LaGrone, of the City Manager club membership committee, declared Saturday night. Some of the most bitter opponents of the manager form last week have espoused the city manager plan this week.

Gaining Strength.

"We are finding that the more people are becoming acquainted with the principles of operation of the manager form the more they are inclined to favor the plan. Proof that the city manager plan saves the money of the taxpayers, and does away with killing of the valuations of property owners with each taxation year, is to be found in the stories of more than 300 American cities which have adopted the plan. It is significant that of these 300 or more, only four have ever changed, and one of these elected its city manager to mayor with more dictatorial powers than any mayor of an American city has ever possessed, this plan going further than the city plan in that the mayor, who was city manager, was responsible solely for everything in the city's government."

"When Woodrow Wilson before his death announced himself in favor of the city manager plan, he wasn't, of course, speaking for the American people. He came to that conclusion in his private capacity as an observing American citizen, but what makes his opinion count for something more than the average opinion is that he was president of the United States."

The Beaumont Form.

"I notice that the Beaumont Enterprise in an editorial this morning came out for the city manager form of government, denying that as the plan is now operative here that it is the city manager form. This is not

CHICAGO STOCK SHOW OPENS

11,000 Animals Are Entered At Exposition

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—With a visit and address by President Coolidge as its feature box office attraction, a record breaking list of entries, and official recognition of congress, the 25th International Livestock exposition opened here tonight.

President and Mrs. Coolidge will attend the exposition next Thursday on their first trip to the west in two years.

Eleven thousand animals and more than 5,000 samples of crops are in competition for the \$100,000 prize money offered.

Chicago society went en masse to the horse show tonight.

Entrants and visitors are from all parts of the North and South American continents.

County Judge Will Hear Criminal Cases

Special to The News.

BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—Judge C. N. Ellis, county court at law, will hear criminal cases the entire month of December with the exception of Christmas week. Approximately 75 cases have been set for each of the three weeks. Judge Ellis has spent almost the entire month of November in calling his civil non-jury cases and a number have been dismissed.

The 58th district court will be in vacation beginning Monday. No court will be held there until the grand jury meets on December 6, when the new term will open. Judge J. D. Campbell in the 60th court will continue with his jury civil cases.

Woman Kidnaps Baby After Telephone Ruse

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—Warning was broadcast to all police precincts tonight to watch for a strange woman who kidnaped 3-year-old Charles Stevenson, from his father's home in Gloucester, N. J., across the river from Philadelphia.

The child was stolen by the woman after his mother had been lured from the house by a ruse, police said. Mrs. Stevenson was preparing the boy for bed when a strange woman appeared at the door and told the mother she was wanted at a telephone in a nearby shop.

At the shop Mrs. Stevenson was told there was no call and hurried home to find her baby missing.

UNIDENTIFIED MAN IS KILLED BY TRAIN

HOUSTON, Nov. 29.—Struck by a train at Waller, Texas, an unidentified man died at a railroad hospital here today. His skull was fractured.

CHRISTMAS CHEER LOST

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Nov. 29.—The Wichita mountains "moon-shine area" lost part of its Christmas cheer when officers brought in five stills and four alleged moonshiners. The stills were taken by military authorities.

Rheumatism



"Yes! it's all gone."

DO NOT close your eyes and think that health, free motion and strength are gone from you forever! It is not so. You can get rid of your rheumatism by building up your blood power. It is a fact that rheumatism means "blood poverty." It is a fact with the increase of red cells in your blood, impurities are destroyed. It is a fact that S.S.S. will help Nature build these red blood-cells! S.S.S. is one of the most powerful blood cleansers in existence. Its results in thousands of rheumatic cases have been nothing short of amazing! The medicinal ingredients of S.S.S. are purely vegetable. This is very important to remember! What can be more inspiring, more wonderful than to see the shackles of pain released from your struggling body, swellings, lingering pains, stiffness of joints and muscle all disappear; your stomach made strong; your face lit with the old sweetheart glow; your blood enriched and your cheeks more plump as they used to be. You can do it! Take S.S.S., the great destroyer of rheumatic impurities.

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WHALE

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Gets Into Movies.

Moving picture views of the whale as he floundered and spouted while grounded off the east jetty and as the tug and barge towed him into Sabine Pass were made by Walter Norris, Port Arthur movie cameraman. The views of the whale will be sent to a news moving picture concern for exhibition on their regular circuit.

Hurrying out of Port Arthur and Beaumont all day Saturday, motorists journeyed in a steady line down the Sabine road, hoping to be on hand to see the whale landed. Various rumors and reports were heard all over Port Arthur, some having it that the whale broke away and was lost, and others setting forth that he was on exhibition at Sabine. Speed boats and slower motor boats put out around the jetties and formed a miniature naval escort for the leviathan as he was towed slowly inside to Sabine Pass.

A good road extends to the pilot's wharf from Sabine Pass, leading off to the left when the Dick Dowling monument at the cross roads is reached, and the whale can be seen there all day Sunday, Captain Plummer said. No arrangements for handling the throngs of sightseers have been completed and the price of admission has not yet been fixed, but these details will be worked out later.

Missing Banker Is Located In Italy

OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 29.—O. M. Anderson, former cashier of the Bank of McAlester, Okla., who mysteriously disappeared Christmas eve, 1922, when \$20,000 of the bank's funds were found missing, has been located in Italy, it was announced at Gov. Trapp's office late today.

Through the state department at Washington, the governor announced he had cabled the American embassy at Rome, requesting that Anderson be arrested by the Italian government and held until a state official can arrive and return with him to Oklahoma and face embezzlement charges.

Son of Minister Undergoes Operation

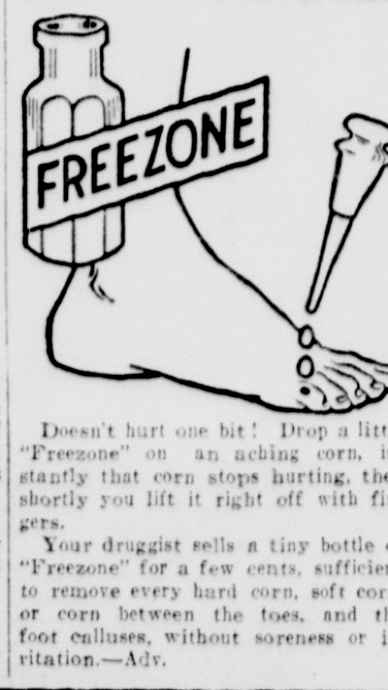
Warren Waite Davis, the young son of Rev. and Mrs. T. Alvis Davis, of 1005 Fifth street, who underwent a mastoid operation in the Mary Gates hospital yesterday afternoon, was reported doing well late last night.

The operation was successful although the young patient has not yet been removed to his home.

Eighty-seven percent of all ocean water is below 40 degrees Fahrenheit, it is estimated.

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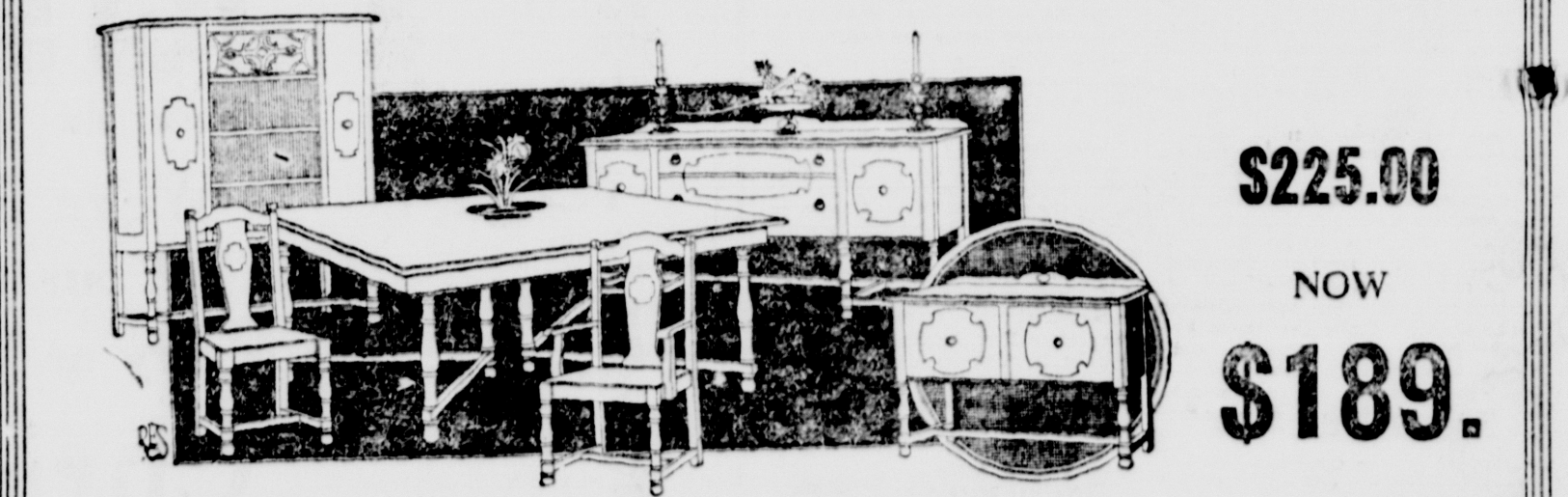
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FRESH WATER PLEAS HEARD

Three Proposals Before Hearing Saturday

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canal systems to a point touching the boundaries of Port Arthur and convert their pumping facilities to the operation of a fresh water supply for domestic and industrial purposes in Port Arthur.

The men making proposals expressed themselves as being willing that all should remain in the meeting, regardless of the fact that they were presenting figures on which they proposed to sell the water to the city, as it was understood that the meeting today would take no final action of any kind.

Joe Broussard was the first one called to explain his plan and after hanging a marked map of the county, showing the present system maintained by his company and the route they propose to cover in the event they are called upon to furnish the city with fresh water, he went into details.

Pine Island Project

He proposed to furnish the system with a supply taken from Pine Island bayou at Voth, with a provision to establish a new intake plant at the mouth of Village Creek on the Neches river in the event that the deepening of the canal has the effect of making the water too salty for use during the summer season.

The canal system now in operation comes to a point within fourteen miles of the city and Broussard stated that within a period of four months from the signing of the contract his company will be in a position to furnish a satisfactory bond that they will deliver to a reservoir at any point on the western city limits of Port Arthur as much as 250 million gallons of water per day.

Based on a minimum consumption of four million gallons per day, the water would be delivered to pumping distance of the reservoir for seven cents a thousand, for the first four million gallons, 6 cents for the next three million gallons, 5 cents for the following three million and 3 cents per thousand gallons for all over 10 million.

In the event that salt water comes up the Neches river to a point where it materially affects the Port Arthur supply, the company would locate a new pumping plant at the entrance of Village creek at a point up the Neches river considered far above the possibility of sea water at any season.

Should this new plant become necessary the city would pay at a scale of one cent per thousand above the quantity prices quoted until such time as the company has been reimbursed for the additional cost of pumping facilities and canals to connect with the present system.

A 12-month option will be given the city to purchase the entire irrigation system of the company, together with pumping plants and rights of way, for a consideration of \$450,000, Broussard said.

Broussard stated that the water pumped to Port Arthur comes directly from the Neches river up Pine Island bayou and made the statement that he had been furnished figures by a local refining company that there was a greater volume of water coming down the Neches river than through the Sabine river.

Issue was taken by a refinery engineer who explained that all of the figures compiled were from measurements taken on a single day and his department was not in a position to say what the comparative volumes of the two rivers are.

Statements were made by G. A. Eubank, at this juncture, that engineers from the U. S. government offices were at this time making measurements of the two rivers and their report, which would be completed in the near future, would settle this point which has been brought up since the meetings have commenced.

This matter was discussed last Saturday when the proposal of the Orange fresh water promoters, who proposed to tap the Sabine river above Orange and deliver water to this side of the river at Port Neches, was heard.

Broussard suggested that the city construct a reservoir with a 60-day supply as a reserve against emergencies.

The next project heard was that of Will Carroll, representing irrigation interests which also serve a large portion of the county devoted to the rice industry.

The Carroll Project

Carroll also proposed to establish pumping plant on Pine Island bayou but his plans include the construction of an intake pipe which would lead directly to the Neches river at a point known as Lake View and bring the water from the river itself to connect with the system already established.

This plan contemplates extensions of the present system to bring Port Arthur's water supply to a point near El Vista for delivery to the city. As to rates, Carroll submitted a schedule which included a consumption of 30 million gallons with a range of cost, based on the thousand gallons, as follows:

One million gallons, daily, .0877; four million, .0671; five million



Kate Schmidt acts as the human dishrag for Nicholson, stunt skater at St. Moritz, Switzerland.

And Katie Doesn't Get Dizzy

0545; six million .0461; seven million .0398; eight million .0352; nine million .0315; 10 million .0285; 15 million .0201; 25 million .0138; and 30 million .0115.

W. P. H. McFaddin of Beaumont, land owner, stockman and rice farmer, presented a proposition to supply the city with fresh water through his rice irrigation canals and also outlined a plan by which Sabine lake may be utilized as a source of supply for a fresh water district which would include a large part of Jefferson county and parts of Louisiana.

McFaddin's proposition to supply Port Arthur with a supply for domestic and industrial purposes, was based on a minimum of two million gallons per day at 6 cents per thousand and an unlimited quantity over that amount at 5 cents per thousand.

He proposed to utilize his pumping station and canal system which originates at Smiths Bluff, 10 miles below Beaumont, and make delivery at Port Acres or El Vista, where he has 500 acres of land at points suitable for reservoir purposes which he offers the city at \$80 an acre.

In speaking of the quality of water obtainable in this way, McFaddin said that he was of the opinion that river water purifies itself every five miles, but included in his proposal systems of settling and artificial purification which is used in Beaumont and other places. His proposal carried with it an agreement for the city to use two million gallons daily every day in the year as a minimum consumption.

The Sabine Lake Plan

While on the floor McFaddin repeated his original proposition to utilize Sabine lake as a huge reservoir from which the entire county and also the land holders on the Louisiana side of both the lake and river might draw their fresh water supply. This plan has been proposed before and met with the same objections that it did Saturday morning, but during his talk McFaddin gave some interesting facts concerning the territory lying between Port Arthur and the sea rim, including some history of waterways now well known and which the large majority of inhabitants at this time have thought were works of nature.

He also gave facts and figures concerning the development of the heretofore considered worthless swamp land as territory capable of unusual production, but through sources not open to settlers up to very recent years.

The Sabine lake plan, in brief, includes a dam across the head of the river to retain the fresh water from the rivers and at the same time to keep out the salt tide, together with locks in the Port Arthur ship canal at some point near its entrance into the head of navigation in Sabine Pass, to prevent sea water from coming up the ship and Sabine-Neches canal and flowing into the lake through the river openings.

McFaddin told of his long residence in this section and of the observations he had made while in the cattle business here. Before Port Arthur was thought of as a location for a city or port, he said that in the early days he commenced watching the effects of salt tides in the lake from a stockman's standpoint; that of providing water for his herds.

"There was never a time," said McFaddin, "regardless of how salt the water was in Sabine lake at any point along here, that the stock would not drink the water at the river entrance at the head of the lake."

Dam Across Pass

"There isn't a man in this section who has watched more carefully the

salt water from coming up the canal will conserve thousands of acres lying along the coast in this county and at the same time make them productive.

"Back here years ago there wasn't any Keith lake gully. That outlet isn't a natural one. It was a ditch dug by the railroad. I know because I saw it when it first became wide enough to be bridged with 10-foot planking. My father told me all about driving herds to the lower end of the county when they passed Keith lake on the road.

"It was along in 1881 that they commenced to use a bridge that was put over the rapidly widening ditch by the old mail carrier who carried the mail between Sabine Pass and Beaumont. I rode over the bridge myself, but let me tell you something. There is no use trying to shut the salt water out with any sort of a gate at Keith lake gully and the canal now. I tried that once and you can see some of the piling I drove there yet.

"I didn't figure on the back wash from the vessels coming through the canal. Got lots of it in but when those ships passed by the waves rolled back against that piling and it went out. Then, when one of my men was off for a Sunday, a freshet came along and finished the work.

Proposes Locks

"The only thing to do there is to put a lock in the 'cut off.' Leave Keith lake to be salt water with a boom across the mouth and raise oysters. They need both fresh and salt water and the boom will keep the salt out. The back lake and other lakes will remain fresh as will the marshes and I want to tell you that they are productive.

"Didn't know till a few years ago that musk rats were any good till I discovered that they were making 'Hudson seal' coats of them and I commenced to take notice. Just as an illustration, last Thursday I sold \$700 pelts—a week's catch—for just \$6000, lacking \$30, but the salt water is killing off my rats. It is keeping away the ducks, too, but if this plan is carried out there will be fish, oysters, ducks and plenty of rats in all the lakes and marshes."

W. S. Carter made the strongest protest against the damming of the lake and entered into several arguments with McFaddin. He stated that in his opinion the plan was not feasible owing to the action of the tides and winds from the gulf side and the overflow from the landside, creating a flooded condition of the country, both above and below the natural outlet of the lake.

In addition, Carter said that such an arrangement would cause a constant shoaling of the bar which would mean a prohibitive expenditure, through dredging, to keep it clear.

Carter argued that if the natural flow of water through the pass is blocked, the action of the tide coming in at its crests going out, would prevent the natural clearing of the navigation channel.

McFaddin, in turn, argued that it would be beneficial and that there would be no salt water in the rivers as his early observations in this section had proven to him that the salt came through artificial canals.

Following the meeting, Carter stated that he had been given an opportunity to observe the result the damming of natural waterways when he was operating a cotton gin on the Mermentau river. He said that the river was dammed with the result that the tide from the gulf below the obstruction flooded the surrounding country if it became more than normal, while freshets coming down above flooded the territory above the dam with fresh water.

"They had a system of several gates," said Carter, "which permitted upper sections to be taken down the river water received, at the same time keeping the salt water on the lower levels from coming up but I know from observation that the river was very salty a mile above the gates."

In addition to the men from Beaumont who were present this morning, Port Neches was represented by C. C. Higgins and Wm. Merriman, while Judge M. W. Oakley headed a delegation from Nederland composed of Dr. Henslip, Van Reinstra and W. J. Barnes.

Chairman Bliss adjourned the meeting after the last talk had been heard, stating that the fresh water project was now placed before the citizens and next week a call would be made for a meeting which would continue with the consideration of the proposals made with the idea of selecting the best for the city.

In the nited States there are approximately 22,000 prong-horned antelopes.

68 KILLED IN GRADE CRASHES

224 Others Hurt In State In 9 Months

AUSTIN, Nov. 29.—Sixty-eight persons have been killed and 224 others injured, a total of 292 casualties, at railroad highway crossings in Texas during the nine months ending Sept. 30, according to compilation by the railroad commission. With few exceptions the accidents were results of collisions between motor vehicles and railroad trains.

Reports made to the railroad commission show that the heaviest toll taken at grade crossing accidents was in July, when 15 persons were killed and 33 others injured. In August there were 6 killed and 42 injured, and in September the same number were killed, but the number of injured was reduced to 20.

COUNTY JAIL NEARLY FULL TO CAPACITY

BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—There are now 65 prisoners in the county jail here, according to Jailer E. E. King. This is the highest number that has been confined there for a long time.

GAS PLANT ORDINANCE IS PASSED BY BOARD

Special to The News.
LAFAYETTE, La., Nov. 29.—The ordinance providing for the establishment of a gas plant in this city was finally adopted at the regular meeting of the board of trustees here. Considerable local capital is lined up for the project, which will get underway to construction in the near future.

TEXAS TEACHERS SHOULD BE AMERICANS, SAYS

SAN ANTONIO, Nov. 29.—A constitutional amendment creating a state board of education composed of seven members with overlapping terms was recommended by S. M. N. Marrs, state superintendent of public instruction at the state teachers convention here today.

Marrs said that under terms of the amendment the board would appoint the state superintendent and fix his salary.

Persons licensed to teach in Texas schools should be American citizens, Marrs declared.

GOVERNOR GETS DEED FOR WAR HERO PARK

AUSTIN, Nov. 29.—Gov. Neff today received a deed from B. H. Gardner of Palestine conveying 25 acres of land on the public highway near Palestine as a public park. The park is to be a memorial to the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner, Lieut. Benjamin Howard Gardner, Jr., killed in second battle of the Marne, 1918, and will bear the name of Howard Gardner State park.

The inventor, J. T. Johnson, 609 W. Lake St., Chicago, Ill., is offering to send a lamp on 10 day's FREE trial, or even to give one FREE to the first user in each locality who will help him introduce it. Write him today for full particulars. Also ask him to explain how you can get the agency, and without experience or money make \$25 to \$500 per month. —Adv.

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Stamped center, handkerchiefs, infants' pillows, buffet sets, Vanity sets, and aprons, put up in packages with thread to finish the article, priced special

29c

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

The Editorial Mind

Our School System Illustrates Manager Plan

More than ten days have elapsed since the city manager plan has been presented to the community. The result has found the bulk of the city welded in two groups—those for the city manager plan and those against it. "What is the city manager plan?" This is a question frequently met with by the thoughtful citizen who is determined to get at the bedrock of the discussion and, without fear or favor, judge for himself from what he can learn of both the merits and demerits of the Port Arthur situation from both angles as he sees it.

It has been established ever since the beginning of the Port Arthur city manager form that it is the merits of the political form as against the city manager form that is on trial—not individuals. This is a promising sign. It indicates that in a fair and impartial manner Port Arthur is setting about for a solution to a condition, and this should govern the actions of every citizen who is interested in the problem facing the city.

It is an axiom that while men govern, conditions govern men. Manifestly the thing we are concerned with in Port Arthur is a system of government which shall be representative, economical and, not least, efficient. We want everything we have been getting but we want more, also. And we want it just as cheaply as we can get it. These are the three cardinal issues of the campaign.

Port Arthur is in a formative stage. We are growing. It is a promising sign. We have more than the average city to look forward to. In five, ten or more years who shall say what we shall be in a point of growth and prosperity? If we can accomplish a municipal reform now which will mean for us years of greater accomplishment later on, that, of course, should be our sole effort and endeavor.

Is something wrong with us? If so let us remedy it. Are we getting what we are paying for—an efficient, painstaking government, economically administered? If not, let's get it. That is the crux of the whole matter. Where a thing so vitally concerns a people, that people should immediately set about investigating it to its own satisfaction with an eye to improvement. We cannot stand still. We must advance or we must retrograde—fall back.

Everyone who is at all familiar with our school system, to which everyone among us alike point with pride, knows that it is the second most economically conducted in the state. This is a high record. But for those who demand something greater, let it be pointed out that in point of scope and quality of school systems, we stand equal with any. Franklin school and its plan of operation is the peer of any school in the south. School people from near and far come to look over its facilities with an idea of putting into effect their observations in their home cities. Architecturally, Franklin school is such that it has secured praise from the highest educators in the country. It is organized and conducted to fit the most rigorous and most advanced requirements of modern education.

How has this been brought about? Because Port Arthur's school system has been divorced from the control of politics. Results, methods, individuals, if they are competent count. There is a definite establishment of responsibility. There is no evading it. Result is that its personnel is on a high pitch of efficiency, and a score of states point to its operation as an ideal goal for their own achievement.

There is no more apt parallel for the city manager form of government than Port Arthur's school system.

Its superintendent of schools, appointed by the board of education, can be likened for results gained to the city manager. He gets direct action. He is responsible. Not a thing occurs within the school domain that he is not in close touch with. He is governed in action solely by the efficiency of the group of individuals of whom he has charge. There is a definite objective. Where efficiency of the individual under him is at fault another is appointed. The result is a school on a high plane of economical and efficient administration.

One argument against the city manager form advanced is that it would be impossible to get any individual to act on the city commission without pay. "No one will have time to devote their endeavors to the city welfare unless he is paid for it," it is argued.

Has it been impossible to secure representative and capable citizens for service as members of the school board without pay? Can it be said that administration of Port Arthur's school system is at fault because members of the school board are unable to devote their time in an advisory capacity to it without pay? Members of the school board serve without pay to the community. There is a service by loyalty which is not governed by the consideration of gain. They do not feel that they must be paid by the month in order to make it possible for Port Arthur to have a school system

SECOND IN EFFICIENCY TO NO SCHOOL SYSTEM IN THE STATE. It is an index of community standing. It has dignity. It is representative. Its members are proud to serve the community unpaid, because their election to office is the result of popular confidence in their ability to serve the best interests of all, AND THERE CAN BE NO IDEAL SERVICE IN CIVIC PROGRESS WHERE THE MOTIVE ATTACHED TO SUCH SERVICE IS THAT GOVERNED SOLELY BY PAY.

Port Arthur has a school system administered according to business methods. What Port Arthur now needs is a city administration governed by the same business methods. It can be done by utilizing the same loyal man power in our midst. There are capable men in Port Arthur—working and business men who can give Port Arthur such an administration.

And in giving it they can set for themselves one of the greatest honors it is possible for any individual to achieve—that of dedicating their advisory abilities to the commonwealth, without pay, their only reward the grateful thanks and regard of the community which elected them to an office, not for a political salary but for a community's honor among their fellows.

OUR WATER PROBLEM

Finally, after more than a score of years, Port Arthur is setting about remedying its fresh water problem. We are growing bigger. The time is fast approaching when fresh water will be the saving factor of the industrial situation in our city. Certainly we can hope to gain few major industries when we are unable to give them fresh water. Like wise we can make no very attractive bid for population so long as we are compelled to draw salt water from kitchen faucets for domestic use.

Water, the cheapest thing in the world, probably, is Port Arthur's big problem. We shall have to pay out some good money before we reach a solution that will meet the test of plenty, price, and availability. But all three of these considerations can be met. But when met we shall have established a condition of permanency which will be one of the greatest arguments which we can offer any plant, factory or business enterprise which considers locating here. And until we have met that need we may consider ourselves as having failed.

As originally outlined, measures to secure fresh water were governed by the needs of Port Arthur. The scope of this original plan has grown. Port Neches and Nederland need fresh water. Their present problem is similar to ours. Both cities are making rapid growth. It will not be long before each will have to face a quick solution of its water problem.

It was an excellent idea to consider the water problem from the angle of community and not strictly Port Arthur, need. As outlined before when this entire district will extend, slowly merge, and finally become one in identity. Certainly now is a fitting time to anticipate it.

Three proposals appeared before the hearing today, making four which have been advanced—really five when it is considered that W. P. H. McFaddin's offer had as alternative the suggestion for damming the lower reaches of Lake Sabine, installation of locks below Port Arthur to prevent salt water contamination through upper reaches, and conversion of that entire body into a huge fresh water reservoir.

These are those of Joe Broussard, Will Carroll and W. P. H. McFaddin, all three contemplating utilization of their pumping stations and rice canal or conduit systems to a reservoir here, and that of the Sabine river. There was nothing introduced finally to set at rest a score of engineering problems which might have intimidated themselves to those attending that hearing. These, however, will be solved later, and out of the five proposals there should be found one of such major worth and import as to establish itself firmly for community backing.

The promising thing about the whole venture is that after a quarter of a century we are in a fair way to solve our needs which have been apparent every day of that period. We have, it is true, attempted solutions before the present, but with ill fated results. But there should be material at hand for a common basis of community support and agreement, which will minimize objections and perforce emphasize advantages to such a standard as to find ardent boosters for it from all ranks.

Saturday's meeting, the second of the series under way, was productive of considerable good, from the standpoint of dispensing understanding of the several projects. Gradually we will get to a point where we can center on one of them. This time will come when the virtues and shortcomings of each are thoroughly threshed out in public, and after expert minds have been freely called into play,

he wrote a book, "Why Athletes Die Young."

Over-exertion of muscles and heart is why athletes die young. Most people are very careful not to over-exert their muscles. Few of them need advice about not over-exerting their brains.

WEEK-ENDS. — A distinguished Englishman visits America. He was here years ago. He says the change he most notices is that Americans are learning to play. This is especially evidenced by "Saturday afternoon" and the growing custom of weekend vacations.

OVERWORK. — Famous strong man, Fred Beasly, could lift 20 men at one time with his back. He dies at the age of 28, which recalls that

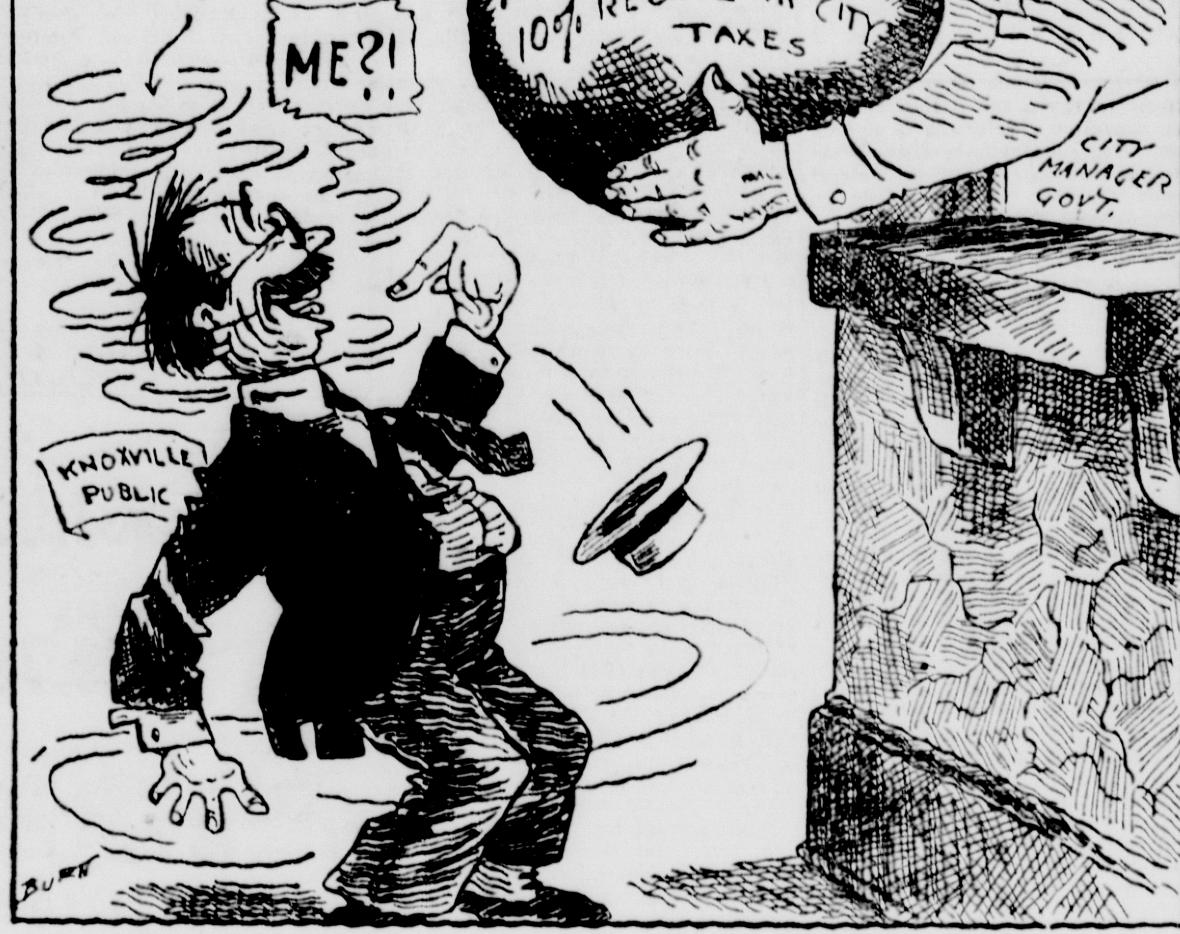
world and acquire knowledge. These can come in the evening of life if a man has worked hard and succeeded in earlier years.

AGED.—What has become of the old man who used to sit on the porch in a rocking chair, leaning on his cane, doing nothing? Not as many as formerly. "Old folks" are more busy than they used to be. They are playing golf, dancing, keeping up with the times.

Time was, when retirement from work meant mental stagnation and loneliness. Not now. Americans have learned that old age and youth are largely a state of mind.

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With Books and Their Makers

BY MARY E. DONALDSON
Librarian, Memorial Library
VIGOROUS action and colorful pictures of Alaska in 1866 are presented in Edison Marshall's new novel, "Seward's Folly."

Jefferson Sharp, an aristocratic and gallant young southerner who had distinguished himself in the army of the Confederacy, is sent as a secret agent by Secretary of State Seward to block the proposed deal between the Hudson Bay company and the Russian American Fur company, which would make Alaska an English province. For Seward sees the value of Alaska and wants it for America.

Seward has selected Jeff because he is so strong, daring, handsome enough "to worm any secrets out of the ladies" and has inherited the making of a diplomat from his distinguished father. Seward considers the civil war ended and he declares to Jeff, "There can't be any north or south, or east or west from now on. Jeff—there can only be America." Jeff accepts because he sees in it an opportunity to deal the hated union a stinging blow and at the same time repay England for her late friendship to his homeland.

DARINGLY Jeff appears in Sitka at a masked ball wearing his Confederate uniform, and he is fascinated with the courtly manners prevailing in Russian society at Sitka. But little by little his eyes are opened; he sees Russia as she really is; he defies an English captain who attempts to board with armed men a little American vessel; and he actually does that for which Seward has sent him—blocks the Russian and English treaty so that the Czar can sell Alaska to the United States.

He early incurs the enmity of Baron Karl, the principal stockholder of the Russian American company and practically dictator of Alaska. Several times it looks as though all is over with him; he will be shot or sent to Siberia and his identity lost in a number. But each time "the girl" appears just in time to save him. She is a very remarkable girl capable of doing everything. In the end, however, she agrees to become the dutiful wife who will let Jeff do the managing.

The author's foreword warns the reader against taking too much of "Seward's Folly" historically. "No historical evidence exists that Secretary of State Seward was instrumental in blocking the treaty, and parts of the narrative dealing therewith must be regarded as purely fictitious. Otherwise Mr. Seward is presented according to my most sincere interpretation of this profound though lucid genius. The prickly international situations of the time, the Sitka of 1867, and the various characters are as nearly true as can be seen through the misty distance of sixty years."

Very well does the author show the value to America of her men of action. En route to Alaska, Jeff feels sure he will have nothing in common with the people who come to live in a wild, frontier country like Alaska; he knows they must be devoid of culture and to him culture is the all-important thing. The girl, Molly Forest, replies: "What is culture—refinement—compared to achievements, Mr. Sharp? Where would culture and refinement be except for the achievement that has made them possible? I tell you why those men I speak of couldn't be contented in your old sphere. Of course, if they had been trained to do as you were, they would like it well enough, but they don't. They must have work to do, or they waste away. They must have trial and disaster—adventure—battles. They know their keen eyes will dull

if they don't have the light and shadow of the forest to keep them trained; their trigger finger will grow lax, their muscles soften. They must have a patch of woodland to clear for sowing; they must build a trail through the woods. It isn't such luxury as you had, Mr. Sharp, that makes America great. It is these trail-breakers in the forest. And I don't know what will happen to us when the last of the land is tamed, and no trails are left to blaze."

"ONE of the most side-splitting yarns I ever read," is the way William Lyon Phelps characterizes "Leave it to Smith," a recent book by P. G. Wodehouse. Smith is tired of the fish business and his hard uncle who "judges his fellows solely by their devotion to fish" and whose "closest friends can hardly tell whether he more nearly resembles a halibut or a cod." He must find employment, so he inserts the following "ad" in the paper:

Do you want some one to manage your affairs, some one to take the dog out for a run? some one to assassinate your aunt?
Smith will do it!
Crime not objected to!
Leave it to Smith!

He is engaged to steal Lady Constance Keable's necklace, for Lady Constance's husband needs three thousand pounds to help a runaway daughter and her nephew Freddie needs a thousand pounds to start a book-maker's business and marry Eve. All sorts of amusing complications ensue.

"THE DIVINE LADY" by E. Barrington is an absorbing novel of the famous and beautiful Lady Emma Hamilton, who, according to Lord Nelson, gave him the inspiration which enabled him to win the battle of Trafalgar. Nelson's last words were, "Take care of my poor Lady Hamilton," and on the eve of the battle of Trafalgar he wrote the famous codicil to his will in which he enumerated the services rendered England by this woman of his heart and besought the English people to care for her and their little daughter Horatia. How little did he understand the English people! Lady Hamilton died in disgrace and poverty.

Barrington's novel touches upon Emma's girlhood in London, to which her beauty had lured her from the humble home of a village blacksmith. But the first vivid picture of her is a daring and high-spirited girl of eighteen who rides and conquers an untamed horse. Getting into trouble while at the house of a boisterous lord, she beseeches the help from a cultured young man, Grenville. Grenville's chief object in life is to acquire the beautiful, so he employs Emma as his housekeeper and her mother as his cook. He desires to make a lady of her and to this end he educates her. That her beauty may be preserved he engages the artist Romney to paint her. Three hundred sittings she gives to Romney who loves her beauty and her kindness and her kind and generous heart. He calls her his Divine Lady, declaring that she is superior to all womankind. Probably the most beautiful scene in the novel is the one where Emma goes to Romney two hours late for her sitting. She is filled with gratitude for his picturing her as one all loveliness. Laments that despite all her efforts to be a lady her temper will at times get the best of her. Tenderly she arranges a lunch for him and woman-like mends his coat.

EMMA worships Grenville and longs for widowhood but Grenville, cold and correct, feels that she can never become the quiet, proper person he needs for a wife. Moreover, he needs money, so he determines to get rid

Cynthia Gray Says: - - -

MUSINGS

Before marriage a man tells a girl how soulful her eyes are. Afterward he advises her not to darken her eyelashes.

A lot of women think that the world not only owes them a living but the price of a summer ermine coat, a permanent wave and a matinee ticker besides.

The tragedy of women is that their hearts are so much younger than their faces.

The Russians have a proverb that says "Long hair and little brain." Which makes most of the girls nowadays intellectual giants.

To produce a happy child is more of an achievement than anything that was ever invented or patented, or written or set to music.

QUESTIONS—ANSWERS

Dear Miss Gray: Our young daughter of 8 is completely spoiled. Unless we take her to the movies about three times a week and let her do about as she pleases, she makes herself and us miserable. Is there anything you can suggest to help us?—Mother.


Yes, there is. For one thing she ought not to go to the movies often; then once a month and then to a picture made just for children. The afternoon is the best time to go. Start in today to discipline her. But be gentle and don't let her know that you have made up your mind to change things. Just go ahead quietly and do it.

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of her. He invites her and her mother to visit him in England, supposedly the object is to enable her to secure expert training for her voice. Lord Hamilton, who as a British ambassador is an important person, gives her every honor and attention and finds her so wonderful that he desires to marry her. She and Lord Hamilton are married; then ensues a brilliant life for her in which she is welcomed as a friend by the Queen of the two Sicilies and becomes the most brilliant figure in the gay life at Naples and a wonderful help to her husband who is growing old.

On every hand she is flattered and receives much masculine attention, but she remains loyal to Hamilton. And then Nelson appears. He is a captain of the British navy in need of provisions for his ship. Lady Hamilton has his ship supplied and his wounded men cared for—the men regard her as a saint. Again help is needed. Lady Hamilton gives it; the battle of the Nile is won and Nelson returns to Naples minus an arm and an eye and haggard with suffering. Lady Hamilton welcomes him and nurses him back to health. Their friendship at the beginning is inspired by loyalty to England and the enthusiasm of achievement. They feel that they are not of common clay and that Lady Nelson could well know of their friendship—but after all they are human; the association continues and they become more intimate. Ugly rumors are circulated; Lady Nelson is heartbroken when her husband returns to England with Lord and Lady Hamilton. Hamilton dies and Nelson helps to care for Lady Hamilton. All London is talking of Nelson, but he is needed to fight the French once more. Lady Hamilton tells him to go and the battle of Trafalgar is won. There the novel stops. The author says he has not the courage to tell of the downfall of the Divine Lady.

Sometimes a man doesn't let his side swell light on his breath because he may want a drink.



Wynne Ferguson
Author of
"Ferguson on Auction Bridge"
gives you these

EASY LESSONS IN AUCTION BRIDGE

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ARTICLE No. 6

If there is one thing about auction that is certain and undisputed, it is the fact that no perfect system of bidding has been or is likely ever to be invented. Almost any system, if clearly understood, stood by partners and intelligently played, will produce good results. The only difference between systems of bidding lies in the difference in the skill of the players advocating the different systems. The only thing that makes one system preferable to another is the fact that it is more easily understood and applied by the average player. The writer has known of many match games between experts advocating different systems and as a rule such matches have been more or less even. And it is very lucky that there is no perfect system of bidding. If there were, the game would soon lose its fascination and charm. No one likes to feel that the other fellow knows as much as he does and if the bidding were perfect, no one could put anything over.

What really makes auction so fascinating, however, is the fact that it is a game of chance, in the nature of a speculation or a gamble for there is no guarantee that the cards will not be so distributed that your bid, no matter how sound, cannot be made. For example, suppose you bid one heart, holding ace, king, queen to five and an outside ace. No one will say that such a bid is unsound under any system and yet you are doubled and lose 300 points. There were seven hearts in one hand against you. A bad break, but no one can say you made a bad bid. Here's another hand. The dealer bid one spade and second hand held the following:

Hearts—Q, J, 9, 8, 6, 4, 3
Clubs—8
Diamonds—K, Q, J, 6
Spades—A

and correctly bid two hearts. The dealer's partner doubled and defeated the contract 300 points, holding the remaining six hearts. These are bad breaks, of course, but show what happens even to the soundest of bids. Here's the other angle—winning by bad bidding. The dealer held a strong no-trump hand but only two little spades. Instead of bidding one no-trump he bid two spades and was doubled by second hand. He then bid two no-trumps and made three odd. Second hand and his partner had a set up spade suit but failed to lead it because of the dealer's bluff bid. A fine example of winning by bad bidding.

Still another example. The dealer bid one no-trump and second hand holding the following:

Hearts—10, 7
Clubs—7
Diamonds—A, K, Q, J, 10, 7, 5
Spades—Q, 8, 4

bid two spades on the theory that the dealer's partner, if he held a stopper in the spade suit, would undoubtedly bid it. It did, but it happened just as second hand had planned. The dealer's partner bid two no-trumps, second hand doubled and defeated the contract by two tricks, making seven diamond tricks right off the reel. These examples of winning by bad bidding are given as a warning. Never try stunts of this kind for there's nothing in such bidding. If you win once, you are encouraged to try again and you cannot help but lose out in the long run. Learn some system well and understand it thoroughly. Once you have mastered it, stick to it and you will get results. The system you may choose is immaterial but the application is everything. Let your partner know what he can expect of you and don't disappoint. Be dependable first, last and all the time.

Answer to Problem No. 3

Hearts—K, 8, 7, 3, 2
Clubs—None
Diamonds—None
Spades—A, 10

Hearts—Q, 6
Clubs—K, 10, 4, 2
Diamonds—None
Spades—Q

Hearts—None
Clubs—A, K, Q, 5
Diamonds—None
Spades—9, 5, 4, 2

Hearts—9, 5
Clubs—8, 7
Diamonds—10, 4, 3
Spades—None

There are no trumps and Z is in the lead. How can Y win five of the seven tricks against any defense? Z should lead the deuce of spades and Y should allow the queen to hold the trick. If A leads the six of hearts Y should play the king and lead the deuce of hearts, forcing A back in the suit. Z should discard the five of clubs. A must then lead a club on which Y should discard the ace of spades so that Z will now win

the balance of the tricks. If A leads the queen of hearts in the second trick Y should lead him hold the trick and Z should discard the five of clubs. Now if A goes on with the hearts, Y will win every other trick. If A shifts to a club, Y should discard the ace of spades as forcing A back in the suit. Z should win the remaining tricks. It's a clever and tricky little problem.

What's Going on In the World

By CHARLES F. STEWART,
NEA Service Writer.

Trouble threatens in Egypt. Sir Lee Stack, English commander of the Egyptian army, was assassinated a few days ago. For years Egypt was practically an English subject country.

Recently she was given partial independence. Many Egyptians wanted to make it complete. It was to this agitation Stack's murder was due. Indications are England will retaliate by taking away some of the liberty Egypt enjoys now.

If so, the Egyptian government wants there will be a "crisis." Of course England can beat Egypt, but there might be a bloody fight.

Zinovieff.

When Ivanhoe MacDonald retired as English premier he had on hand an Anglo-Russian trade treaty, drawn but not yet ratified by parliament. Now Stanley Baldwin, the new premier, has told Russia it won't be ratified because the Soviet government, through the "third international," is trying to start a revolution in England.

This was what Secretary of State Hughes said Russia was trying to do in America a year ago. Baldwin (Hughes based their charge on letters by President Zinovieff of the "third international.") Zinovieff says they are forgeries.

Disarmament.

France and Japan have thrown a rock through President Coolidge's plan for an international disarmament conference. They've intimidated their prefer to leave disarmament to the league of nations. That seems to end it, considering that America doesn't belong to the league.

\$100,000,000.

On the face of it, the J. P. Morgan \$100,000,000 25-year loan of American money to France looks like a pretty good investment. Interest is 7 per cent and the bonds are to sell at 94 cents on the dollar. But if France can't pay what she owes now, how can she pay \$100,000,000 more?

Exclusive.

The naval bureau of operations is mighty secretive concerning the tests leading to the sinking of the three-quarters completed battleship Washington off the Virginia capes. To be sure, facts often are given out concerning the tests' nature but nothing concerning their effect except in the most general way.

Officers of the operations bureau say they're finding out more than they ever knew before about what the latest type of fighting vessel can stand. The beauty of it is that it's information no other navy can obtain except by sinking a \$30,000,000 ship—that is, unless inside news of these

experiments leaks out.

Agriculture.

Howard M. Gore, assistant secretary of agriculture, who has been acting secretary since Secretary Wallace died, has been confirmed as department head until March 4, when he becomes governor of West Virginia.

The agriculture portfolio is politically especially important just now because of plans for extensive farm legislation in the next congress, and Gore's successor will be very carefully picked out.

Tom Sims Says

A pretty girl was found in Chicago, her mind a blank. Officers think she is a college girl, but not because of it.

They say John D. Jr. made about \$111,000,000 in the Wall Street boom. Which was too bad. Think of the income tax.

Even though they had a water shortage in Los Angeles, most of the folks had their winter baths taken.

An Illinois boarder poisoned his landlady instead of the opposite.

Some day we are going to read about a woman refusing to shoot her husband because it would wake up the baby.

Over \$1000 in stamps was stolen from an Ohio postoffice by someone doing their Christmas mailing early.

Bad news from Italy. Cold wave there. Fuel short. Imagine having to eat cold spaghetti.

France and Germany have agreed on a tax. We don't know what tax, but when anybody agrees on any tax it's news.

If you don't mix business and pleasure you don't get much of either.

Coolidge advises a treeless Christmas, to save our forests, but we think matchless hunters would be better.

Rhubarb juice is one of the best agents for removing iron-rust, proving the stuff is fit for something.

A town in Scotland called Oa may have been named by a man who had just lost a nickel.

It probably never will be known who threw the Wall street bomb or—that is, unless inside news of these

HERE AND THERE

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CRIME.—In the penitentiary at Joliet, Ill., young Leah and Leopold become professors in the night school. They are teaching fellow convicts how to read, write, spell and do sums in arithmetic.

Does it surprise you that these convict students need such juvenile instruction? Ignorance is one of the "three chief causes of crime. Others are poverty and mental diseases.

OVERWORK. — Famous strong man, Fred Beasly, could lift 20 men at one time with his back. He dies at the age of 28, which recalls that

40 RECORDS SET BY BOOM

Stock Exchange Has Sales of Over Million

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Forty new record high prices appeared in the half day session of the stock exchange today in the 21st day of the financial boom following the election.

At the close the stock ticker was 15 minutes behind in recording the day's transactions which ran 1,180,000 shares.

The advance carried to new high levels industrial stocks of every description.

Human Voice Is Created By Wizards

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—The deaf have long carried electrical eardrums to aid their hearing, and now, as an achievement of long scientific research, the speechless may talk with the assistance of a vest pocket larynx.

Hundreds of survivors of one of surgery's most delicate operations, the removal of the vocal chords as a cure for throat cancer, go about with their lungs functioning through a hole cut in their throats. As a result, they have lost their power of speech.

Monkeys and Bears Enlisted In War

PEKING, Nov. 29.—The bear and monkey brigade is the latest thing in modern warfare and more than 1,000 of the animals were recently transported to the North China front to do expert "detection" work.

The monkeys, according to the papers, are doing rather well, becoming experts in finding hidden mines and dangerous traps. They are excellent scouts, say the reports, and they can peek over the mountain tops, sniff out the enemy long before he is within gun range and rush back with the warning.

Farmer Labels Stock For Deer Hunters

PARK FALLS, Wis., Nov. 29.—Some hunters apparently suffer from very deceptive eyesight or else need to take an elementary course in zoology, farmers in the northern part of the state have found.

EDUCATION MAKES MORE WORK FOR LAUNDRIES

JOLIET, Ill., Nov. 29.—Education in home economics by the American housewife is credited with being an important factor in the increasing volume of business now being performed by the power laundries, according to William E. Fitch, manager of the Laundry Owners National association, in his annual report to the executive committee of the organization.

BRIDE "LISTENS IN" AND ASKS DIVORCE

HOUSTON, Nov. 29.—Charging that her hubby was so indifferent as to make love to another just two hours after his wedding, Mrs. J. M. Norwood, a June bride has asked for a divorce.

The spouse of a few months testified in district court that the fickle bridegroom offered the excuse that he wanted to talk to a boy whom he had long distance just after they were married. Just for curiosity she listened and the "boy chum" had a "so-so" voice. Her husband proclaimed his love for the "chum" and promised to see "him" in a few months. Mrs. Norwood said.

JAPAN HAS CRIME WAVE OF ITS OWN

TOKIO, Nov. 29.—The coming of winter is accompanied by an increase of crime in Tokyo. The police report robberies more frequent, a recent week-end having been particularly bad, with more than 20, most of them in suburban districts.

Scouting With the Boy Scouts

Gathering at the Sea Scout hut Friday night, Port Arthur Sea Scouts and Boy Scouts, with their officers, gave a farewell party for Captain Eddy, scout executive, who resigned this position recently, effective Dec. 1.

On behalf of the Sea Scouts, Capt. Roderick D. Steele, Sea Scout portmaster, gave a farewell address to Captain Eddy, setting forth the appreciation of the work the retiring scout executive had done, and presented Captain Eddy with a suit case purchased for him by the Sea Scouts.

The farewell address to Captain Eddy on behalf of the Boy Scouts was given by Judge Robert A. Shivers.

At the close of the meeting in the Sea Scout hut, the scouts and officers turned out on the canal bank where games and campfire stories were played and told, and wieners roasted until after 9:30 o'clock.

During the Thanksgiving holidays the Boy Scouts of Troop 6 have been working on their new hut, and Saturday night found the structure practically completed. The building is 20 by 40 feet, and under the direction of three carpenters, the scouts have been putting up the hut.

Reports of other scouting activities during the past week were made Saturday as follows:

TROOP 6.
K. of C. Sponsors.
George Scully, S. M.

Troop 6 was intending to hold its regular meeting but was surprised by Captain Scully when the scouts, including Sea Scouts and the bicycle patrol, were going to have a wieners roast and oyster bake. We left our headquarters and arrived in front of the Sea Scout hut on time. Before the wieners roast any number had gathered inside of the hut and several of us slipped inside to see and hear what was going on. Captain Steele was called upon to deliver a little talk and it was very interesting, after which he presented a handsome suitcase to Captain Eddy, not as a going away bag but a coming back bag.

We were impressed when Captain Steele said that "for every ounce of pleasure you are going to find one pound of sorrow" and we surely believe he is right. The captain also said you may meet a good friend like Captain Eddy and know him for a good long time and now he is leaving us.

Meeting is a good thing, but when you part from a good man as faithful as Captain Eddy you are sure to feel it. After the speech in the Sea Scout hut all of the men and boys went out on the grounds in front of the hut and sat around two campfires. Robert Shivers, our scout commissioner, was introduced to the bunch and made a farewell speech in behalf of the scouts of Port Arthur to Captain Eddy. As the campfires burned and everyone sat attentively looking into them it looked as though Captain Eddy and all the scouts were thinking of the past. Captain Eddy then made a little talk. He assured us he never would forget us and mentioned that he had at least 500 pictures to keep his memory fresh at all times. Troop 6 certainly extends their best wishes to him wherever he goes and we hope to see him again.

Thanksgiving day found the members of Troop 6 with their able committee from the Fathers association starting the erection of the new and finest scout hut in this section of the state. The scouts took advantage of the holidays and to date everything is ready for the plan. The electric wires and general finishing touches will be finished today.

The hut is a dandy, 20 by 40 feet, and will be to the point in every respect. One of the hut will be around \$500. The services of Mr. Salles, Mr. Rodriguez and others who have been so freely given are greatly appreciated. The boys have done all the work through their supervision and the

Fathers association has aided wonderfully. We expect to have the hut completed in a few days and a great dedication will be held when it is.

Lawrence Moreau, Scribe.

TROOP 14.
Congregational Church Men's Club.
Sponsors.
G. O. Farmer, Scoutmaster.

We met at the Congregational church Friday at 7 p. m. Twelve members were present. We discussed the rules and penalties for the contest we are going to have between patrols and decided to let it run until May 31, 1925.

We were then advised that Captain Eddy was going to leave us and that a meeting had been arranged for all troops in town with the Sea Scout hut as the meeting place so everyone went down. We listened to a few speeches after which a wieners roast was held. Everyone left the campfires with thoughts of Captain Eddy, pleasant thoughts though dimmed by the realization that it would probably be a long time before we ever saw him again. We wish him all the good wishes one can think of with a great big success on top of it wherever he goes.

Emanuel Farmer, Scribe.

TROOP 16.
St. George's Episcopal Church.
Sponsors.
E. R. Clements, Scoutmaster.

We met at the old Methodist church which is to be our new hut, for the first time last Friday at 7 p. m. We had a good attendance as everyone seemed to come out to inspect our new quarters. Permission to use this place as our hut was granted by Mr. Baker and we certainly do thank him for his kindness and assure him we will take good care of the place. After calling us to attention, Scoutmaster Clements told us we were going down to the Sea Scout hut to have a farewell party for Captain Eddy. We piled in one of the boys' car about 15 strong and those who could not find space inside piled on the sides and who's. There were about 125 boys at the Sea Scout hut with their scoutmasters. Mr. Shivers gave the farewell speech and thanked the captain for his good services to scouting in Port Arthur and expressed wonderfully his regrets and the regrets of the scouts at his leaving us. After this, wieners were roasted around the big campfire, games were played and the bunch beat it for their homes.

Troop 6 entertained our troop at a swim and with basketball at the Franklin gym last Wednesday night. We wish to thank Troop 6 for their invitation and assure them we all enjoyed the games and swim.

Don't forget your next meeting as it will be our first real meeting in the new hut.

J. C. Watkins, Scribe.

POPULAR HAT.
The beret or tam type of hat made of velvet or very soft felt is very popular now with women who dislike the hard lines of the square crowned models.

Santa Claus Headquarters
You Will Find Many Gifts and Toys at WELLS'S

Combining practicability with beauty, a set of Dishes from the Wells's stocks gives you the utmost in a real gift expression. Foremost are these beautiful sets at:

\$9.98 to \$150.00

English ware, Austrian, Nippon, Minton and Haviland. 65 sets to select from.

Special Monday—Holmes & Edwards Silver \$1.48 box, guaranteed 20 years. We also carry Wm. A. Rogers in odd pieces and in sets.

Every day from now until Christmas we will have new items on our \$1.00 special table.

Toys of all kinds. Rocking horses, wagons, tricycles, doll buggies, black boards, games, books and toy telephones.

Monday Special—\$2.00 Mama Doll with hair \$1.48

Come in and join our Christmas Club.

DALEY DOPE

In order to introduce "Iron Clad" hosiery to you, we are going to make you a special offer, good for 2 days only, Monday and Tuesday, on all our "Iron Clad" hosiery for men, women and children, every pair guaranteed to give satisfactory service, any that fail may be returned for a new pair free of charge.

Bring this ad with you and you will be allowed a 10 per cent discount from our regular prices. This includes all hose from 15c per pair to \$3.00 per pair, even including our famous \$2.25 chiffron silk hose.

If you are not getting satisfactory wear from your children's hose, or in fact any hose, now is your time to try out a guaranteed hose whose makers have spent 47 years in perfecting. All "Iron Clad" cotton hose are made from Egyptian and Sea Island cotton, a long staple cotton and they are given an extra twist for strength. Only Aniline dyes are used, not cheap sulphur dyes, so "Iron Clads" won't turn green and sickly looking after washing.

Don't forget our shoes. We sell only first quality, latest styles and perfect fits at the lowest price possible.

We buy from the factories direct, not through jobbing houses, so we have no jobbies, seconds, nor shelf-worn goods to offer you at attractive prices.

Don't fail to bring this ad for Monday's discount. Monday's ad good for Tuesday's discount.

DALEY'S
The Store of Economy
425 Fifth St. Phone 356

WELLS'S
529 Austin Ave. Phone 354

Girl Bandits Put Victim In Hospital

DALLAS, Nov. 29.—Charging he had been attacked by two young women, beaten and robbed, Frank Raymond, 54, hobbled into an emergency hospital here for repairs. Raymond said that one of the hi-jacking Annapolis punched him in the jaw and the other kicked him in the stomach. Physicians advised him to have an X-ray picture taken of his side after he had complained of violent pain in that section of his anatomy.

Broadcasting Snake Rattled To Death

STATE COLLEGE, Pa., Nov. 29.—Radio Kelly, the broadcasting rattlesnake, whose vibrant tail was once heard half way around the world, has rattled his death rattle.

Kelly was a five-foot diamond back, owned by Prof. George R. Green, nature study specialist of Pennsylvania State college.

Last spring he backed his talented 10-button tail up against a microphone at the State college station and thrummed a desert lay which experts from the music department identified as a melody of "The Cowboy's Lament and The Little Coward Who Shot Mr. Howard."

Kelly was the first and thus far the only rattlesnake to broadcast the ominous opus of his breed, and this distinction eventually caused his extinction. For Kelly died of the rattles.

Prof. Green said Kelly rattled himself to death. Students and visitors could not pass his cage without making him rattle, and he died of exhaustion.

ALL PLANES WELCOME AT FORD'S AIRPORT

DETROIT, Nov. 29.—A new airplane landing field, the donation of Henry and Edsel Ford, which was recently completed at Dearborn, will be known as Ford airport. The donation is purely in the interest of commercial aviation. It is understood there is no intention of the Ford company to go into the airplane business, other than to watch its development.

All pilots will be welcome at the field. It is large enough to take care of the largest types of ships.

U. S. COFFEE IMPORTS JUMPS 10 MILLION BAGS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Despite higher prices, coffee imports from Brazil to the United States in the first eight months of 1924 increased by 100,000,000 bags over the same period of 1923.

GETS 99 BUSHELS OF WHEAT TO THE ACRE

LEIGHBRIDGE, Alberta, Nov. 29.—N. Peterson, operating a farm at Hill Spring, has secured a total yield of 99 bushels of wheat to the acre on 56 acres within the past two seasons.

The 15th Pre-Inventory Sale

REDUCES EVERY PIECE OF FURNITURE IN STOCK

As this sale grows in age—so grows the momentum of the greatest furniture event in Port Arthur's history. Never have crowds responded so readily—eager to select from this fine stock of fine furniture, at prices greatly reduced. Every suite in this mammoth stock is included as well as all miscellaneous articles.

A GIGANTIC SALE OF McDOUGALL CABINETS

On Sale

No. 330 Oak
\$65.00 value
\$58.50

No. 379 Oak
\$70.00 value
\$63.00

No. 379 W. E.
\$77.50 value
\$69.75

On Sale

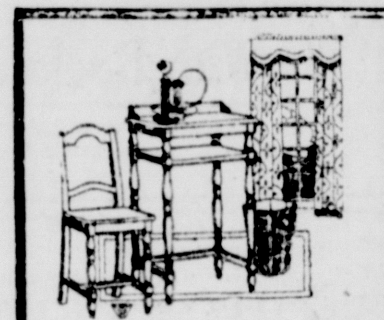
No. 686 W. E.
\$85.00 value
\$76.50

No. 999 Oak
\$87.50 value
\$78.75

No. 999 W. E.
\$95.00 value
\$85.50



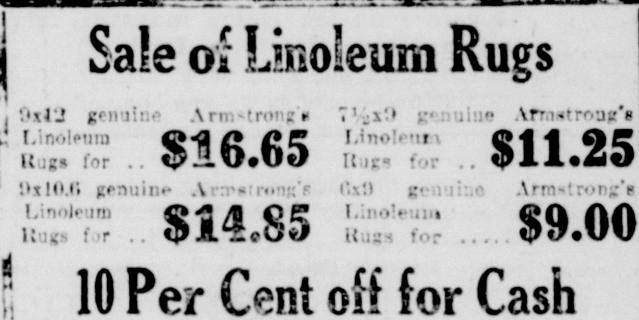
You know the superior qualities of the famous McDougall kitchen cabinet. You know how many women in Port Arthur will readily recommend them. They are the supreme achievement of the cabinet makers of the world, and now comes the opportunity to get one at a reduction. Make haste, for this offer comes only once a year.



Telephone Stands

In all finishes to go with the suite of furniture you want.

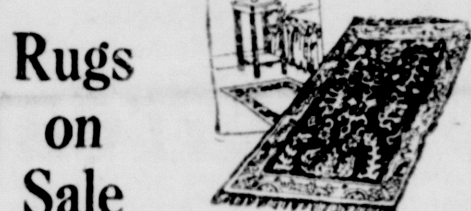
\$10 values reduced to **\$8.95**
\$14 values reduced to **\$11.95**
\$16 values reduced to **\$12.95**



Sale of Linoleum Rugs

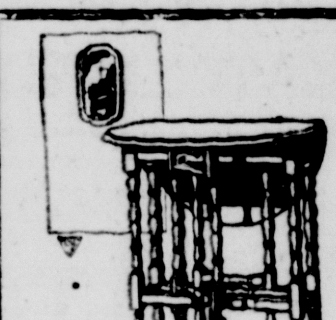
9x12 genuine Armstrong's Linoleum Rugs for **\$16.65**
7x9 genuine Armstrong's Linoleum Rugs for **\$11.25**
9x10 genuine Armstrong's Linoleum Rugs for **\$14.85**
6x9 genuine Armstrong's Linoleum Rugs for **\$9.00**

10 Per Cent off for Cash



Rugs on Sale

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Gate Leg Tables

Regular \$27.50 gate leg tables as pictured special for **\$23.50**

Regular \$35.00 gate leg tables, reduced to only **\$29.75**

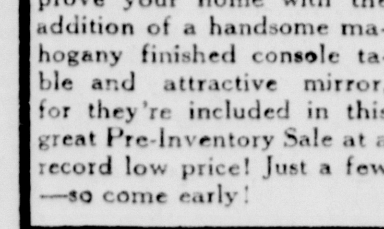
Regular \$57.50 gate leg extension tables for **\$49.10**



\$57.50 Console Table and Mirror

\$48.75

Now is the time to improve your home with the addition of a handsome mahogany finished console table and attractive mirror, for they're included in this great Pre-Inventory Sale at a record low price! Just a few—so come early!

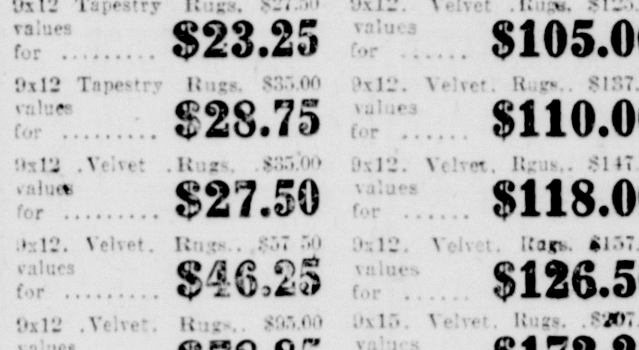


Tea Wagons

A very precious gift for Christmas or any other time. They are here in many pleasing styles, all reduced:

\$38.50 Tea Wagons now **\$27.50**

\$42.50 Tea Wagons now **\$36.15**



Floor Lamps for Christmas Gifts

They're On Sale

Most beautiful and charming are the many attractive lamps now in our stock, they are each one distinctive, full of newness and style. They are reduced as follows:

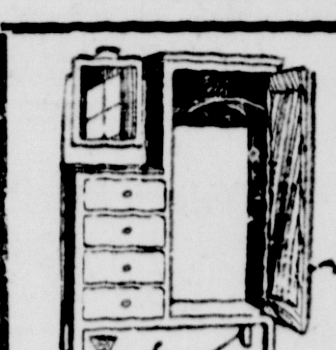
Regular \$22.50 Floor Lamps for **\$19.75**

Regular \$27.50 Floor Lamps for **\$23.35**

Regular \$14.75 Table Lamps for **\$12.60**

Regular \$27.50 Table Lamps for **\$23.25**

All other lamps in values up to \$75.00 reduced in proportion.



Chiffron Robes

Regular \$32.50 dresser robe, finished in oak special priced **\$27.75**

Regular \$25.00 oak dresser reduced to **\$21.50**

Regular \$27.50 oak dresser reduced to **\$23.50**

Regular \$35.00 oak dresser reduced to **\$29.75**

Secretary Desks

Here are secretary desks just as this illustration and others too, priced as follows:

Regular \$67.50 values now for **\$57.40**

Regular \$75.00 values now for **\$74.75**

Regular \$87.50 values now for **\$83.25**

Regular \$97.50 values now for **\$93.25**

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Make Your Christmas Dollars
Show Their Wisdom!

Smart buyers are out thicker'n oats in a grain sack—the crowds prove something—one look will convince you that thousands of Port Arthur folks are on the "right track" for biggest Christmas values in Highest Quality Merchandise. Bring in your gift list and buy two presents for the price of one.

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For "Minute Men" of Industry

WATCHES



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Lucky Girl

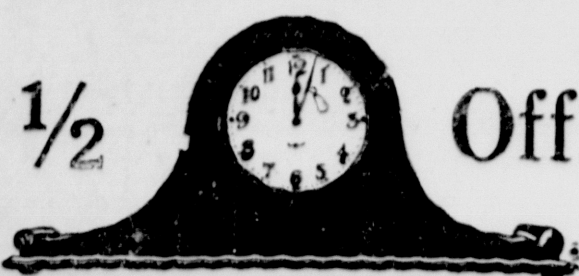
Wrist Watches



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A "Timely" Gift Thought

Mantel Clocks



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Ten Years on a Square Deal Is Proof that
Performance Measures Up to Promise!

Great Stock Reducing Sale

Every Article In This Store

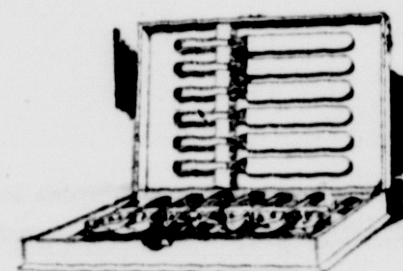
1/2 OFF

Nothing excepted save a few items, the prices of which are fixed by manufacturer's retail price agreements. This sensational sale is the outgrowth of a dull period—stocks didn't move as expected—frankly, we need money. Every article in this sale backed by the usual satisfaction-or-your-money-back guarantee. It's your chance to buy Diamonds, Watches, Silverware and Jewelry for a "song"—and remember, a small deposit holds any article till Christmas.

BRING YOUR FRIENDS

Highest Quality

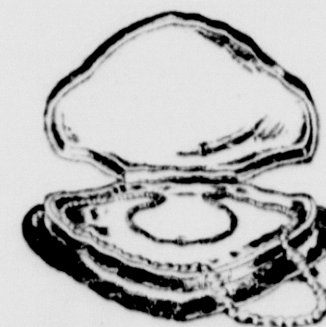
Silverware



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The Gift of Fashion

Pearls



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The Gift of Thoughtful Choosing

Ivory Sets



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To Share in the Biggest Jewelry Values
Ever Offered in Port Arthur!

\$2146 ASKED IN LAWSUIT

Wharf Materials Rejected As Defective

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—Because rails, spikes and other materials that were to have been used in the construction of the Beaumont wharf improvements were rejected as defective by the engineers in charge of the work, suit for \$2146 with interest at 8 per cent was filed in the 60th district court here yesterday by the Houston Construction company against Greaves and MacFarlane. According to the petition, the materials ordered were rejected by the engineers and the suit was brought to cover the amount paid for them.

COURT DOCKET
Suits Filed
J. M. Smith vs. Zelma Weaver, et al.
Texas Employers Insurance company vs. Louis Melanson.
Marriage Licenses
Ignacio Rosa and Anita Sanchez.
Charles Phillips and Mrs. Cecile Palmer Wilde.
Byron Adams and Miss Alpha Alice Leben.
Joe Poletti and Miss Margaret Wilson.
Horace Couroux and Ida Harritt.
Morris Gilbert and Emma Dyes.
J. D. Guidry and Miss Mildred Dapols.
Ulice Bernard and Cecelia Como.
Kirby Lee McFarland and Miss Marion Louise Harris.
C. H. Hastings and Miss Rosie Landry.

Divorces Granted
Mrs. Blanche Grammer from J. E. Grammer.
Charles Hastings from Nettie Hastings.
Ed. Fisher from Emma Fisher.

She's Mrs. Charles Chaplin Now



This is the latest and best picture of Mrs. Charlie Chaplin. Moviegoers perhaps know her better as Lita Grey. She's Charlie's leading woman, you know. The comedian married her at 5 in the morning in the little town of Empalme, near Guaymas, on the Gulf of California, in Mexico.

OFFICER FACES FOUR CHARGES

Accused of Taking Money From Women

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—Four charges of swindling, embezzlement, and theft were filed in county court at law yesterday against former Deputy Constable L. P. Johnson of Port Arthur. The indictments were returned following testimony of witnesses who testified Johnson had arrested Port Arthur women on vagrancy charges and had received money from them.

The amounts Johnson is charged with appropriating were all less than \$20, and for this reason the case will not be taken to the district courts. Johnson served as a deputy constable to H. F. Baker. He has not yet been arrested and Sheriff Tom Gerner stated today that in his opinion Johnson had left the state.

Youngest Prof



Margaret Lee Wiley, 19, is a full-fledged faculty member at the College of Industrial Arts of Texas. She teaches English and is recognized as the youngest college professor in all the southwest.

BOUND OVER ON THEFT CHARGE

Man Held In Connection With Stolen Auto

A young man giving his name as C. P. Masters, who was returned from Orange Sunday night by Constable Parsley and Police Captain Fox, waived preliminary hearing in justice court Saturday and was bound over to the grand jury on a charge of stealing an auto truck belonging to O. Viator of this city Wednesday night.

The truck was stolen the night of the robbery of the Fawcett military store at 719 Procter street, and as the Orange authorities stated in their message that some clothing was found in the car, an effort was made to connect the prisoner with the burglary.

Parsley said that the clothing was claimed by the man under arrest and they had nothing to connect him with the burglary. The officer said that the prisoner gave his home address as Jacksonville, Fla., and said that he took the truck to make his way across the country.

WOMAN AND CHILDREN NEAR DEATH IN CRASH

Special to The News.
SHREVEPORT, La., Nov. 29.—A narrow escape from death was experienced by Dr. Katherine Woodward and Dr. Julian Matster, women physicians, of Monroe, and three children when an automobile in which they were riding tumbled over the highway near Minden, La. The machine rolled over a steep embankment, pinning the occupants underneath where they were held until passing motorists assisted them. The women were unconscious, but not seriously injured.

30, 1924, was 176,822, he said, due to recognition of new units by the federal government, increase therefore being "a legitimate and permanent expansion."

Wrinkles Removed in 15 Minutes—Cost 3 Cents!

Quite a sensation has been created in certain social circles over the wonderful rejuvenating effects of a simple tarroot mixture which any woman can easily apply at home. The results are so remarkable that one has told others, who in turn have told many more, and now the method bills fair to supersede all the patent "wrinkle removers" and other things used for the purpose.

This is the procedure: A spoonful of powdered tarroot is mixed with a spoonful of lemon juice, and this is spread over the face. An amazing transformation takes place, as the mirror shows. In less than 15 minutes wrinkles, crowfeet and creases have completely vanished! Facial contour is noticeably improved and the face looks years younger. The most skillful massaging could not produce such a wholesome effect as remains after the mixture has been washed off. Tarroot is of course perfectly harmless. Inexpensive, too. An original package from the drugist contains sufficient to bring the cost per treatment under 3 cents.—Adv.

NATIONAL GUARDS SHOW GAIN IN 1924

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 29.—Through "unwavering zeal of the personnel" the national guard component of the United States army scored a 15 per cent increase in strength during the 1924 fiscal year. Maj. Gen. George C. Rickards, chief of the militia bureau, informed Secretary Weeks in his annual report. The aggregate strength of the guard June

PRIEST RETURNS FROM HIS VISIT TO FRANCE

Special to The News.
RAYNE, La., Nov. 29.—Rev. Father A. S. Doure, pastor of St. Joseph's church, has returned to this city after an absence of six months spent in France visiting relatives. Father Doure has served this parish for the past 25 years, having celebrated his silver anniversary as pastor of St. Joseph's just prior to leaving for his trip to France.

Captures Man After Three Year Watch

Constable Dick Parsley, Police Captain Les Fox and special officer Plummer arrested a negro yesterday afternoon near Harding avenue and Eleventh street, on the west side, who is wanted here on a highjacking charge which is three years old.

The negro gave his name, according to Plummer, as Charles Bardon. He is one of a trio arrested in connection with a hold-up in the negro section in 1921. Following the arrest, according to Plummer, Bardon pulled a gun and after firing two shots, made his escape.

Since that time the officer has been keeping a watch for him.

12,000 TELEPHONES INSTALLED IN YEAR

NEW ORLEANS, La., Nov. 29.—Thus far this year, 12,000 additional telephones have been added by the company operating in this city. The Association of Commerce, in its bulletin, points to the increase in telephones as an index to the growth of this population and increased prosperity of the city. This number is greater than the total number installed in the three previous years.

LAKE CHARLES MAN HURT IN ACCIDENT

Special to The News.
LAKE CHARLES, La., Nov. 29.—His left arm broken when his automobile skidded and went into the ditch, George D. Neely, of this city, 45 in a hospital at Baton Rouge where he was removed for medical attention after the accident. Accompanied by Frank Shattuck, Neely was on his way to see the L. S. U. and Tulane game at Baton Rouge when the accident occurred.

Swindler's Wife Rich, Sentimentalists Learn

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—The sentimentalists who have been wringing their hands over the plight of Mrs. Leo Koretz, the wife of the Bayou oil swindler, are looking around for something else to cry about.

It has been discovered that Mrs. Koretz has not left entirely without funds when her husband fled Chicago last winter, taking with him some \$2,000,000 belonging to investors in a mythical wonderland in Panama.

Now that Leo has been apprehended in Hallifax and is en route to the county jail here, the truth about the plight of Mrs. Koretz has been discovered. She not only owns a comfortable new white stucco bungalow, but she also owns and drives an automobile and has a maid.

White moulre or ribbed silk is becoming as popular as satin and crepe de chine for evening gowns.

YOUNG HUNTER SHOOT HIMSELF ACCIDENTALLY

Special to The News.
MONROE, La., Nov. 29.—Henry Colbert, 14, son of Henry W. Colbert, accidentally shot himself in the abdomen and right arm when he picked up a shot gun lying in the bottom of a boat. The lad had started on a hunting trip, and was near his home when the accident occurred. Attending physicians reported his condition is serious.

The very newest blouses have high, close collars and button down the back with a row of buttons set very close to each other.

South Texas Fair Shows \$12,826 Profit

BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—A report of the South Texas fair was read to directors here showing a net profit of \$19,474. The 1923 report showed a profit of \$12,826.95, and \$9,147.55 in the previous year.

Officers will not be elected until E. C. Bracken, secretary of the association and Joe Clemmons, president return from the fair officials meeting in Chicago, which will be held in December. Directors who served in previous years will direct the affairs of the 1925 exhibition with Marshall Walker and W. M. Cook named as new members.

40 CRIMINAL CASES REMAIN

Federal Docket Is Nearly Cleared Up

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—Federal Judge W. L. Estes will have few criminal cases to hear when he returns to Beaumont here Dec. 8. There are now less than 40 cases on the entire criminal docket, an unusually small number. A total of 148 cases have been called in the past two weeks. Of this number, 60 defendants entered pleas of guilty, 18 were convicted by jury and three were eight acquittals.

The majority of the cases tried have been for violation of the liquor laws. Penitentiary sentences were given four violators, and 22 men were given terms in the Jefferson county jail. Two automobiles, a truck, a launch and a boat were ordered sold, after they had been confiscated by prohibition officers.

A number of cases were set for hearing on December 1, but on account of the ill health of Judge W. B. Sheppard they were carried over until next week when they will be called again. Jurors were asked to report for service again Dec. 8.

NEW HOSPITAL OPENS TUESDAY

Tubercular Patients to Be Cared For

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—First patients will be received at the new Jefferson county tubercular hospital here Tuesday, according to present plans of Mrs. Mabel Price, matron of the hospital. All supplies and equipment were purchased last week.

According to information from the board of directors there will be no regular physician on duty at the hospital. A member of the board expressed the opinion that nurses there could care for the patients, and that doctors could be summoned when needed. Texas statutes governing county hospitals provide that the board of directors may appoint three doctors to serve without pay at such an institution, but Dr. J. W. Garth, member of the board stated today he did not believe local doctors had any time to spare to any such outside work.

NURSES TO PUT ON MUSICAL PROGRAM

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—The graduate nurses association of district 12 embracing Beaumont, Port Arthur and Orange voted to sponsor a musical to be given the early part of December at their meeting here last night. Further plans for the affair will be made at the next regular meeting of the organization which will be held at Hotel Dien here. Dr. M. P. Bledsoe of Port Arthur and Mrs. Estelle Claiborne, county probation officer, have been announced as speakers for this occasion.

County Jury Fund Is All Used Up

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—Jury fees for Jefferson county courts amounted to approximately \$4,000 for November, and although the jury fund is depleted, jurors will be paid from other funds until the new collections are received, according to County Treasurer H. L. Williams. Whether or not jurors would be paid for their services before the new year collections were received was discussed at a commissioners court meeting and a decision made to borrow \$3000 from the general fund. Jurors have been paid from this fund during the month of November.

FRENCH SCHOOL BONDS ARE SIGNED BY JUDGE

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—The \$50,000 French school bonds were received and signed today by County Judge B. B. Johnson. The bonds were voted several weeks ago for the purpose of building a new school, similar to the one at Nederland, in the French district. The bonds will be sent to Austin on Monday and actual construction on the new building will begin as soon as possible.

SMART PAMAMAS

Steeless pajamas of pastel colored crepe de chine are elaborately trimmed with lace and net.

NIFTY MULES

Mules of brilliant red leather are lined with quilted red satin and have high heels of leather.

Brass Key Scares Off Street Bandits

Special to The News.
NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 29.—Using a shiny brass key, a seaman turned tricks on a couple of highwaymen who accosted him here, when he mistook the key for a pistol and fled without molesting him, police reported. During the past few days street bandits beat Raymond Lombardo, a grocer, of 1219 North Peters street, unconscious after robbing him, and a taxicab bandit robbed and threatened William James, a seaman, from his cab near the waterfront here.

MRS. M. C. LOGENBAUGH DIES AFTER ILLNESS

Special to The News.
CROWLEY, La., Nov. 29.—Mrs. Melvin C. Logenbaugh, 31, died at her residence here after an illness of one week. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Alonzo Harly, pastor of the Methodist church. Mrs. Logenbaugh was a native of this city. She is survived by her husband and five children, her mother, Mrs. J. S. Bailey, of Kinder, three sisters and five brothers.

PORT NECHES BABY CLINIC IS SUCCESS

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—A successful clinic at Port Neches was held Friday by Dr. J. D. Blevins and Mrs. Charles Finley of Port Arthur. There were 10 babies at the clinic and a few examinations of adults were also made. Five schools were visited by county health officers last week and examinations were made at Nederland, Rosedale, South Park, China and Amelia. One dental clinic was also held during the week.


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GOLFERS PLANNING TO LIMBER UP ON COUNTRY CLUB COURSE THIS AFTERNOON FOR NEXT ROUND OF NEWS CUP RACE TO BE CONDUCTED SOON

Rudy Dusek Comes Here to Meet Gas House Wop

Little Rock's Ace Has Recent Win Over the Champ

Edward Garbisch Boots Army to 12-0 Victory Over Navy

Two Stars Who Helped the Army Get the Navy's Goat Saturday

BY BILL ARCHER
The News Sports Editor

RUDY the Rambunctious Mr. Dusek from Little Rock, Ark., is coming to town today to rest up a few hours before going to the mats tomorrow evening in Elks theater arena with our own local pride, Mr. Tony Bernardi, of Wop fame.

And Rudy the Rambunctious is bringing along a string of recent victories, including one over Jim Stewart and one over Clarence Eklund, that are worth reading about, for Rudy sure knows how to topple the high and mighty. In the land of tin ears where might decrees right, in fact, Rudy is just about king of the heavies in the sun-

ny southland. Dusek has not been defeated since he launched his career several seasons ago over in Little Rock under the careful and guiding hand of one Cy Mitchell, better known to the wrestling fraternity as the "Cy-clone."

And we are told by sporting men of our city who follow the game quite fervently that they have grave doubts for Rudy's hide tomorrow eve in the squared circle of the Elks stage. Well, so do we, if you fellows want to get confidential, for this boy Rudy certainly knows just how the berries grow on the grappling tree, and we feel certain that Tony will not only have his hands full, but his arms and legs as well when he gets wound round Rudy.

Dusek sort of has a distant relationship with Port Arthur, because of the fact that he is the brother-in-law of one of the best known independent baseball players that lives here. And that brother-in-law is "Rusty" Davis, who last season played sterling first base with the Port Arthur Elks, city champions, and who the year before was skipper for the Good Golf club in the City League and capped the pennant from all other contenders of the loop. Of course, Rusty will be in a ring-side that tomorrow night. He's already told us so.

Dusek Has a Record.

Dusek comes to Port Arthur fresh from a victory in Little Rock over George McLeod, the Canadian heavyweight, at Little Rock, who Dusek conquered in two hours and 25 minutes, the Little Rock artist taking the match with two straight falls.

Dusek captured the title by knocking out the first fall after two hours and three minutes, and took the last with a flying mare in 22 minutes, according to official reports of the match.

Prior to his scrap with McLeod, Dusek toppled "the grand old man of the mats," Clarence Eklund, light heavyweight title holder, in two straight falls at Dallas, Texas, after an hours work, and Jim Stewart, husky showman who is now wintering in Port Arthur, in 35 minutes, winning from Stewart on straight falls. Both of these contests were at catch-weight.

Met Thompson Here.

Dusek appeared here last winter in a match promoted by Will Fort of Beaumont, defeating Mike Thompson, the youngster that Billy Sandow picked up as a new horse for his stable, after one of the prettiest matches Port ever presented for local fandom. His ability to withstand the punishment Thompson had to offer in the way of wrist-locks and his uncanny generalship in the ring that night is still being discussed by Port Arthur sports fans, with all probability will be on hand tomorrow evening to welcome Rudy back again.

With his sterling successes of the recent season white-lighted up to the top of his record, Rudy will enter the arena tomorrow night probably ruling the favorite among the fans, and Tony will probably have one tough time of it. Besides, Tony will be conceding about 10 pounds in weight, although his own rough tactics and unconquerable spirit should carry him a long way against Dusek. But Dusek will find in Tony one of the best matmen for his size and weight that has invaded Port Arthur since wrestling came to be the premier sport here.

Tulane To Construct \$250,000 Stadium

Special to The News.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Nov. 29.—Tulane university will have a new \$250,000 concrete stadium next fall, according to an announcement made today by Dr. William C. Smith, athletic director of the university. The project was started in a meeting held by President A. B. Dinwiddie when 12 university supporters pledged \$1,000 each and organized into an executive committee to carry on the financial campaign.

Karrow a Shortstop

Karrow, crack fullback of Ohio State, stars at shortstop in baseball, and is said to be a big league possibility.

Grange Elusive

Grange of Illinois not only ran fast but also high, making him hard to tackle. This is a big asset.

Speedway To Be Reopened

According to word received in Port Arthur Saturday night, the Gulf Coast Speedway of Houston is now operating under A. A. rules, and a race has been sanctioned to be held in Houston two weeks from today, December 14.

A number of nationally known racing figures as well as a few from this section of the country are scheduled to appear on the program to compete for a purse of \$1,800 in prizes.

Owners of the fastest cars who can qualify, and who live in Jefferson and Harris counties, have wired triple A headquarters for licenses to operate cars in the tournaments. Among others who sent in their applications is Roy Huston, of Port Arthur, who plans to enter the lists. Roy was frequently in the money at past races staged at the Gulf Coast Speedway.

Should racing open up good on the Gulf Coast track, the chances are that some of the events may be brought to this section of the land, since owners of the track in Houston also control the East Texas Speedway between this city and Beaumont, and are likely to qualify that course under the A. A. A. rulings.

Can't Miss Walsh

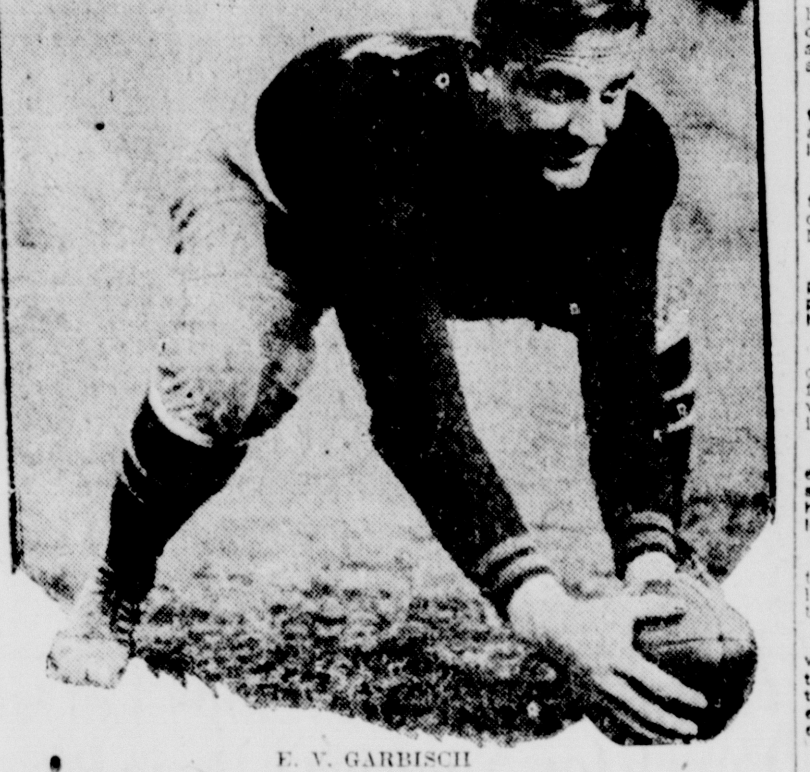
In picking the best center of the year it will be hard to pass up Captain Adam Walsh of Notre Dame.

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Irish Drub Carnegie Tech

Name All-District Team

FOOTBALL is fast drawing its curtains in this district but out of the mist that veils the gridiron arises those stellar performers whose deeds of valor live on to place them on that mythical contingent known as the "all-district" team. The News sports editor this morning announces his choice for an all-district team and presents with it as a comparison the choice of Spike Cooper, sport editor of the Beaumont Enterprise. The teams follow:

The News Choice
Crow (Port Arthur), Coates (Houston Central), H. Turner (Port Arthur), Plummer (Beaumont), guards, Baker (Beaumont), center, Nash (Houston Central), fullback and captain, Balliew (Beaumont), Kattman (Houston Central), halves, Bender (Beaumont), quarterback.

Honorable mention is given Russel Buford and "Warhorse" Taylor of the Port Arthur team.

Enterprise Choice
Crow (Port Arthur), Coates (Houston Central), ends, Shown (Houston Heights), Johnson (Beaumont), tackles, H. Turner (Port Arthur), Plummer (Beaumont), guards, Baker (Beaumont), center, P. Smith (Galveston), fullback, Balliew (Beaumont), Kattman (Houston Central), halves, Bender (Beaumont), quarterback and captain.

THINKS WALSH COMING STAR

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Coach Knute Rockne, the genius of Notre Dame football, is not at all worried by the fact that he will lose a number of his best players through graduation this June.

Rockne says it isn't his custom to worry about the future. He lets the future take care of itself. He believes his 1924 team is one of the greatest he ever coached and confident his 1925 model will rival it.

The famous Notre Dame mentor says he has some excellent material in the offing that will be eligible for next year's eleven. For that reason he is not at all concerned about the losing of a number of stars from this year's team.

Rockne says that Ed Walsh, son of the famous Chicago White Sox pitcher, is a great football prospect for next year. It also might be remarked that he has the makings of a great pitcher.

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Baseball's Smartest Figure May See Writing On Wall

It looks more every day as if Walter Johnson had definitely decided to retire.

If such is the case the organization will lose one of the most colorful figures that has ever graced the game.

Throughout his 18 years as a big league Johnson has annually played for a team with more thrills than any other pitcher that ever threw a ball unless it was Babe Wadell.

Despite the unusual success that crowned his efforts, Johnson passes out of the big show the same modest chap he was the day he pitched his first game against the Detroit Tigers.

Records meant nothing to Johnson. He was a team player. Had he cherished the spotlight, he could have established many a record that he allowed to slip away when victory for his team was certain.

SCHOOL SPORTS GAIN GROUND

Intramural sports are taking a firm foothold in the schedule of affairs in the public schools here, a review of the sporting events indicates.

At the high school, freshmen and sophomores have both been scrimmaging, running signals and practicing football in general getting ready for their annual scrap, which will probably be played on Franklin field some time this week, while the juniors and seniors also are getting primed up for their annual battle.

In the first game, no member of the Yellowjacket contingent can participate in the contest, while in the junior-senior scrap, they are eligible, according to their classification. Last season, the juniors triumphed over the seniors by a touchdown.

Intramural Football

Intramural football has already been opened in the Port Arthur public schools with games between the Franklin and DeWitt schools, the former defeating the latter by a touchdown, while the frosh of the high school trimmed the Franklinites 6 to 0 a few days later.

In other intramural sports, it is understood that a swimming team has been organized at the high school, and hopes to find some opposition down here soon, while basketball is just ready to take the limelight at the main institution also.

Many Indoor Games

Many games of indoor baseball and volleyball have been played at the high school since school days opened in September, and it is thought by students that inter-class contests will probably be played some during the remaining winter months.

Although no definite steps at organization have been taken, considerable talk about soccer has been going on at the high school, and the chances are that in the near future, the list of athletic education at the institution will incorporate a soccer club, or soccer teams. Soccer, more of an English or Scotch game than it is American, has come to be recognized as one of the best muscle developing games played at the present, and the game is rapidly taking a strong foothold in the states.

Senators' Weakness

No major league club is weaker in reserve infield strength than Washington, the world champs. Manager Harris is well aware of it.

Jack Dempsey has no respect for Tommy Gilhouse' hitting ability. "Tom's a nice boy, but he can't punch a lick," says the champion.

Hansen Star End

Hansen, Syracuse end, playing his first year, looks like the makings of a great player. He almost went to Notre Dame.

Foley Is Dangerous

Foley is the most dangerous man in the Syracuse backfield, say the Boston college players, recently defeated 10 to 0 by that eleven.

Collins Still Good

Despite the fact that he has been playing 17 years, Eddie Collins was just about the best base runner in the American league last year.

Sully Montgomery, who held Roberto Rojas to a draw recently, is a product of the college gridiron.

THE NUT CRACKER

ALL AMERICAS NO. 2 (BASEBALL)
Otis P. Sapp: Who on finding that his hot dog was mustard on only one side returned the barking beast and demanded an equitable compensation.

Connie McGraw: Who admitted that if it really took brains to manage a ball club he would be back in Peoria sewing warts on pickles.

John L. Leatherlungs: Who sat through an 11-inning game without once getting up and shouting "Attabo!"

Bad Eye O'Brien: Who on being praised for calling a close one at the plate right, pointed out that it is human to err.

Gladys Gush: Who by the exercise of tremendous restraint, refrained from sneezing in a high soprano voice when a foul ball hit the screen in front of her box.

Glass Arm Jake: Who told reporters that the error made by the shortstop on a bunt in the seventh inning had nothing whatever to do with his losing a 28-to-2 game to the Phillies.

Tyrus Gamfoot: Who, although thrown out at second by 11th graders, leaped to his feet and congratulated the umpire on his efficiency.

Prof. Socrates Wise Egg: Who has written papers on everything from the "Reconstruction of the University" to "What's Wrong With Ford Fenders," but who refused to be interviewed on "The Passing of the Spit Ball."

Bill Squint: Who saw every game the old Baltimore Orioles played, yet considers the game as lost as he is named today ain't so warden.

Buntie and Bingles: Well known sporting writer who did not blame it on the "breaks" when the Blue Sox, picked to win the pennant, finished last.

Money Bags McGuff: Who declined to put circus seats in center field for a Sunday game, believing the overflow crowd would interfere with his outfielders.

SCHEDULE TO BE CHANGED

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Already several of the leading colleges of the country have decided on drastic changes in their schedule for next season.

Princeton was the first to announce the change by failing to renew its two-year agreement with Notre Dame.

Apparently the Tiger management feels that so strong a team as Notre Dame is too tough an opponent for Princeton early in the season.

Instead of meeting Princeton, Notre Dame will take on Pennsylvania at Philadelphia. A number of eastern colleges were anxious to book Rockne's eleven when the Princeton game was called off, but Penn got the call.

Pennsylvania, after getting much publicity over the Notre Dame game, got some more with reverse English for dropping Lafayette.

Penn defeated Lafayette 63 this year in one of the hardest games of the season. These two colleges are natural rivals. As yet Penn has offered no logical reason for the cancellation.

On the Pacific coast there will be a big change. Since both California and Stanford have cut Southern California, the rivalry between these three schools will be greatly lessened.

Southern California, representing that section of the state, made a strong sectional rivalry for the two northern schools, California and Stanford.

Football Results

At Baltimore: Army 12; Navy 0.
At Pittsburgh: Notre Dame 40; Carnegie Tech 19.
At Boston: Holy Cross 23; Boston college 0.
At New York: Fordham 9; Georgetown 6.
At Philadelphia: Swarthmore 12; Haverford 0.
At Wheeling: Broadus 9; W. L. T. 0.
At Philadelphia: PDI 3; Ridley Park 3.
At Providence: Providence 66; Cooper Union 0.
At Danville: Centre 14; Georgia 7.

MIDSHIPMEN LIVE UP TO REPUTATION

VENABLE STADIUM, BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 29.—Army officers in France always had a way of reminding enlisted men with a few smart cracks. "You soldiers always kick."

Among 50,000 spectators who gathered in this big stadium this afternoon to see the Army-Navy football game there were countless generals, colonels, majors, captains and lesser ears who shrieked and shouted at the end of a baffling game that the Army knew how to kick. The Army won the game by a score of 12 to 0 and it was four real men kicks that pushed the nose of a game fighting Navy team into the frozen turf of defeat.

The Navy lived up to its fighting tradition before 50,000 frozen spectators here this afternoon. The Army had a team that was good enough to get Army money on it at 4 to 1, but when the shadows fell upon 1,500 gray-clad ends doing an Indian war dance on the field, the Navy still held its head up and shouted, "Who did not cross our goal line." The champion kicker of the United States was one Edward Garbisch of Washington.

Garbisch played four years at Washington and Jefferson college and today he finished eight years of varsity football. In the first quarter the Army tried to rush a 4-to-1 opponent off its feet and failed.

Garbisch tried three kicks in the first quarter and failed three times. And then dropped back and kicked a 37-yard goal. In the second quarter Garbisch tried a 35-yard kick, but it went wild. In the third quarter Garbisch kicked a sensational 40-yard goal. Later in the third quarter when the Navy was breaking out with a forward passing attack, Hamilton passed and it was pulled down by Gilmore of the Army on Navy's 17-yard line. Garbisch then kicked a third field goal from 20 yards. In the fourth quarter for a lot of battling in mid-field, the Army rushed the ball to Navy's 20-yard line after three line charges had failed. Garbisch dropped back again to the 20-yard line and booted the fourth field goal.

Sande Will Ride

Earl Sande has left the hospital, well on his way to recovery, and predicts he will be back in the saddle next spring.

To Replace Rabbit?

Moore, used in the outfield by Pittsburgh last year because of his hitting, is an infielder. He may take Martin's place.

Few "Big Ten" players can lose a longer and more accurate forward pass than Cunningham of Ohio State. No "Big Ten" kicker of this year compares with the work of Kipke of Michigan last fall.

Where are the field goal specialists of other years? Scoring by field goal has been the exception in football to date.

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Pirates Leave Early Today to Clash With Galveston

Captain Plettman Back To Lead Pt. Arthurians

MEMBERS of the Pirate football report at the city interurban station this morning at 7 o'clock to leave Port Arthur en route for Galveston, where the "pride of Port Arthur football contingents" meets the fast Hurricane squad in a classic at Galveston this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

From Beaumont, the Pirates will secure transportation over the Southern Pacific railway, leaving Beaumont at 8:30 o'clock. On their return to Beaumont Sunday night, the team will ride an interurban especially held over for them to make the trip back here.

Carry Strong Lineup.
One of the strongest lineups the Pirates could muster together for the trip are scheduled to appear in Galveston to represent the contingent there. The team will again be headed by Captain Germany Plettman, who has returned to the lineup, after an illness that kept him from the game for several weeks.

Galveston had not lost a game in two seasons when the squad went down in defeat here last Sunday, 15 and 0. And the Hurricanes have never been defeated on their home court. The game today, with the Pirates the only team claiming a victory over them and one of the few which have emerged with a game, should be one of the biggest drawing cards Galveston has ever staged in a sporting event.

Bernard, Stewart Play.
Big Tony Bernard, "The Gas House Wop," and Jim Stewart, both professional wrestlers, will be in the lineup this afternoon when Captain Plettman sends them crashing into the Hurricanes for the third time this season, while Billy Palmer, Yankum, Eddie Dupuy and Kinky Donaldson will probably constitute the backfield. Prejan, Grady Stewart, Moore, Plettman, Tvetso and Luckey will probably get whacks at the line during the melee.

Many Port Arthurians who have followed the Pirates for years ago are expected to make the trip with the boys today and to see the game at Galveston, which should develop one of the toughest tussles of the season.

South Park Is 'Test.'
Upon their return to Port Arthur, the Pirates will immediately go into training for the South Park College Brahmas, whom they meet on Pleasure Pier gridiron here next Saturday. The Collegeians need no introduction in Port Arthur; they are Port Arthur's next door neighbors, and have been playing one of the nearest schedules in this section. Many of this city have seen them play this year, and have appreciated the big strides Bull Johnson, former captain of the famed Texas Aggies, has made in football education at the junior school.

PIGSKIN PRIMER

What is done if on the kickoff the ball goes out of bounds before it is touched by any player or before it crosses the goal line?

The ball is brought back and kicked off again. If, on the second attempt it also goes out of bounds, it is taken to the kicking side, where it shall put it in play by scrimmage at their 40-yard line, at a point equidistant from the side lines.

If a ball on a punt goes out of bounds, then takes a reverse angle and comes back into the playing field, it is regarded in play.

The ball is not in play. The moment the ball goes out of bounds without being touched, it immediately becomes dead, goes to the side that did not kick it, at the point where it went out of bounds. The fact that the ball bounces back after going out of bounds is given no consideration.

How is the ball put into play after it goes out of bounds on a punt?

It is brought in 15 yards at a point at right angles with the side line and the spot it went out of bounds. The distance may be less than 15 yards but not less than five.

SAYS HELEN TO RULE LONG

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—Willie Tilden insists he is unable to get at this time who is the most promising young tennis player in the country.

If he thinks Vincent Richards is destined to be his successor Tilden does not say so.

Tilden, however, is outspoken in his praise of Helen Wills, the girl champion from California. "I think she'll develop into one of the greatest women players of all time," says Tilden. "She is not yet at the top of her game. No one will beat her for at least five years."

MURDER IS LAID TO CHICAGO BEER WAR

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Search was instituted here tonight for four men one of whom shot and killed Walter LaGille, 36, an expressman. The shooting followed a quarrel in a downtown soft drink parlor.

Police are inclined to link the murder with the beer war which has been raging in this city for the past few months.

'BOY EMPEROR' FLEES TO JAPANESE LEGATION

PEKING, Nov. 29.—Hsuna Tani, the "boy emperor" who recently abdicated his right to the throne and was given his freedom by the new administration, took refuge in the Japanese legation here today.

There was no apparent cause for fear of violence.

Billy Evans Says—

The Football Coach
No Longer Soft Job
Western Methods Popular
The Baseball Tangle

Picking all-star football teams will be all the rage for the next few weeks. In every section of the country the experts in that particular locality will select teams bearing on certain groups of colleges.

Teams from the Big Ten, the east, the Missouri Valley, the Pacific coast, the south, the southwest and so on down the line, will be done by the well known authorities in each section.

These all-star teams are more or less the outgrowth of Walter Camp's original All-America eleven.

It is also customary for many of the grid experts to do an All-America team. Some of these teams may have more merit than the one selected by the illustrious Mr. Camp. Yet it must be admitted that none command the same standing since they are imitations, not the original.

At one time Mr. Camp's teams were made up entirely of Yale, Harvard and Princeton players. Of late years, however, it has been generally admitted that they do play good football west of Pittsburgh.

It is some job to pick an all-star football team. There are many reasons.

In the first place it is impossible to see more than a dozen worthwhile games during the football season.

If a different set of teams were seen in action in each game, it would be impossible to pass opinion on more than 24 of them.

It has been figured that there are in the neighborhood of 200 major colleges in the United States. Some experts figure that there are many more than that.

Thus it is a very easy matter to see what a difficult job it is to select an All-America team from say 200 colleges, when at best it is impossible to see more than 24 or about one-eighth of them play.

The value of such a team is, therefore, decidedly questionable. The ability of many players is so nearly equal that to make a preference is in many cases very unfair.

However, these all-star teams, whether they relate only to Podunk university and Sivas college, have become more or less institutions. The public expects them, seems to like 'em, and the football experts grind them out.

One of the fairest ways to make an all-star selection is to get a consensus of active participants in the game, say, the coaches and officials. These men are as a rule former grid stars, highly capable of passing expert opinion. The selections of all-star teams, based on their dope, are usually representative, combined as the public likes this feature of sport.

That being the case, grinding out all-star teams is certain to continue indefinitely.

As a matter of fact the idea has spread to the theater. For several years the dramatic and movie critics have been putting over a stunt called the ten or twelve best shows of the year.

These productions are merely an elaboration of the all-star idea in sport.

No sport is easier to pick an all-star team in than baseball. Play extends over a period of six months instead of only a few weeks and the expert always has complete statistics to guide him.

Incidentally the baseball figure is just as wise as any of the so-called experts.

WIFE THINKS HUSBY IS HELD PRISONER

NEW ORLEANS, N. Y., Nov. 29.—Alice Jones Rhineland, whom Leonard K. Rhineland is suing for annulment of their marriage, proclaimed today through her counsel belief that her husband is being held a prisoner somewhere by his family.

Announcing that young Mrs. Rhineland would fight the suit on the ground she was legally white in New York state at any rate.

NEW PLANE SPEED RECORD IS ESTABLISHED

PARIS, Nov. 29.—Adjutant Fony today established what is claimed as a world's speed record for airplanes when he averaged more than 180 kilometers an hour over a 15 kilo meter course. The French announced that this beats American records.

THE MEAN OLD THING!



THIS photo shows Ben Newman, the Willie Hoppe of English billiards, playing a shot in a recent match with Alex Smith, a supposedly formidable challenger. In this match, however, Smith played the part of the innocent bystander. Newman ran 669 points up without giving Smith a single chance to make a button.

Gene Tunney Develops Latest Punch for America's Prize Ring

A new punch has been introduced in the boxing game—the liver punch. It is the first new punch since Bob Fitzsimmons exploded his famous solar plexus in Jim Corbett's midsection at Carson City, Nev., back in the late 90's.

Gene Tunney, light heavyweight champion of America, is the author of the new punch. In reality it is a variation of the solar plexus. The attack is centered on the same region. Instead of firing directly at the solar plexus, Tunney shifts somewhat to the side and strikes the liver.

Tunney, analyst and thinker, claims to have gone into minute detail with experts on the effect of various punches. His investigations led him to concentrate on the liver. "No blow when properly and fully landed causes a more instantaneous or complete nerve paralysis" insists Tunney.

Carpentier was dropped by a liver punch in his fight at the Polo Grounds last summer. Tunney caught the Frenchman coming in and hooked a left to the liver. Carpentier dropped to the canvas, writhing with pain and clutching a foot. It was half an hour before he was himself again.

Tunney says he got his greatest thrill in that fight. It was a sort of negative thrill. Tunney had heard much of Carpentier's great right hand. What's more he had seen the Frenchman drop Levine with it and send Dempsey scampering backward across the ring.

"I had plenty of reason to respect it," admits Tunney, "and I was careful every second to keep out of the way. But in the third round it came over, a long sweeping right that nicked me on the point of the jaw. I fully expected to crumple and pass out without further ceremony."

"To my surprise I found that aside from a fleeting sense of dizziness it hadn't bothered me at all. It was a thrill because I had never been cracked by a real puncher before. Before that fight I hadn't been any too sure that I could take it."

Tunney's best weapon is a left hook to the body. This is the blow with which he lands his liver punch. "I concentrate entirely on body punches if it weren't for the fans," comments the observant Tunney. "They seem to get a bigger thrill out of head punches. Maybe it's because they like to hear the glove smack against the jaw."

While Tunney is a capable fighter he is in no sense a great one. This is strange, too, because he is naturally keen, a hard hitter and unflinchingly game.

A "Gentleman Fighter" is probably all right but Tunney gives you the impression of living the role even in the ring. You can imagine how far a "gentleman fighter" is going to get against men like Dempsey, Wills and other man-handlers. These names are mentioned because Tunney is talking of entering the heavyweight division next year.

What Tunney lacks is the savage instinct, the primitive emotion which sends a batter advancing to midring with the determination to win by a knockout or lose that way. Tunney is entirely lacking in this quality and until he gets it he will never be a great fighter.

In the Carpentier fight Tunney plainly showed his weakness. Once in the tenth round he had the Frenchman helpless but instead of crowding forward with all guns blazing, after the manner of a relentless "killer," Tunney, the gentleman, stepped backward and waited until his victim had regained his senses.

MUNITIONS EXPLODE IN GERMAN BARRACKS

REGENSBURG, Germany, Nov. 29.—Vast quantities of munitions in the Reichwehr barracks here exploded today, practically destroying the building. Incendiarism is suspected.

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All Lefties



TOP TO BOTTOM—FIELD, LAIRD, MCGRAW, KRUZZ.

Pennsylvania probably boasts the first all-lefthanded backfield in the history of football.

It is made up of Pastor Field, who plays left half; Jim Laird, quarter; Captain "Muggsy" McGraw, right half, and Al Kruzz, fullback.

When the critics first saw the quartet in action they suspected a new variety of gridiron strategy, but investigation disclosed all the athletes were naturally lefthanded.

COTTON MAN GETS 5 YEARS

Charged With Passing Forged Instrument

HOUSTON, Nov. 29.—William Ward, formerly prominent cotton man of Houston, was sentenced to five years in the state penitentiary by a jury in criminal district court here today which found him guilty of passing a forged instrument.

According to the testimony, Ward raised one warehouse receipt for cotton from one bale to 61 and another for three bales to 1873. He was convicted on the first charge of raising the count of bales.

The defense presented no evidence, but placed several character witnesses on the stand.

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Good Scrap Promised in City Basketball Games Monday Eve

What promises to be one of the best scraps of the local city basketball season will probably be played in the gymnasium of the high school Monday night at 7:30 o'clock when the Methodists and the Independents, in the City League loop, come together for their first encounter of the season. Both teams are undefeated thus far in the race for titular honors, the Methodists having won three games while the Independents, who have enlisted in the same number, hold their own in the 1,000 per cent column also.

Basketball followers here are looking forward to this one encounter alone as furnishing plenty of thrills for the evening court, while a separate bill in the game between the Canadian Club and the Bankers will also be on the evening's menu.

To Charge Gate Fee

Officials of the league announced last night that owing to certain expenses encountered in the operation of the league, and because of a nominal expense in using the gym of the local schools here, that in the future it would be necessary to exact a small charge for the games. Fans are urged to turn out and support the league, but attention is called to the fact that a gate fee will be charged.

Standing of the teams, together with the card which will be presented here Monday evening as another chapter in the City League's race, follows:

STANDING OF TEAMS		
	Won	Lost
South Methodists	3	0
Independents	3	0
Bankers	2	0
Canadian Club	2	0
Bankers	2	0

Games for December 1
Canadian Club versus Bankers.
South Methodists versus Independents.

IS 'SPEAKER' OF GRIDIRON

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—The Tri-Speaker of football.

That is what they call Captain Ray McGraw of the University of Pennsylvania team.

In baseball Speaker gained fame by playing the shortest center field ever attempted by a big leaguer.

Fleet of foot, an uncanny judge of fly balls, Speaker is able to play the outfield a bit differently than any other player in the history of the game.

Fandom would shudder at the closeness with which Speaker played to the infield with some hard hitters at the bat. Yet for years and years no player ever succeeded in hitting a ball over Speaker's head.

Playing in close had many advantages. It enabled Speaker to catch short fly balls that would have been base hits with any one else. It also makes possible for him to handle ground balls more quickly, thereby holding the advancement of base runners to the minimum.

Captain McGraw of Pennsylvania pulls the Speaker stuff. He plays close up to his line so as to be in a position to help the defense.

When a punt is the play he goes back a much shorter distance than most quatters, banking on his speed and unerring accuracy in handling the ball. Incidentally he prefers to catch punts over his shoulders, which enables him to describe a wide arc and keep going at full speed rather than starting from a dead stop.

It's a rather unique idea that has proved a success with McGraw.

TEXAS STATE FAIR EARNS HALF MILLION

DALLAS, Nov. 29.—The 1924 Texas State fair made net profits of \$82,210.93, according to reports of Secretary W. H. Stratton, submitted to the fair association board of directors today.

Total income was \$305,657.47; expenses were \$223,446.54; permanent improvements costing \$88,561.39 were made, the report showed.

NIGHT GOWNS

Very attractive night gowns are made of satin brocade crepe. They are finished with a pivot edge and untrimmed save for a bouquet of French flowers.

Sport Shorts

Tiger Flowers, colored middleweight, is the son of a Georgia parson and a close student of the Bible himself.

This will probably be Bill Roberts' last year as Princeton coach. But then he has retired before.

Despite John McGraw's opinion, Travis Jackson is not the best shortstop in the game. He's far too erratic to be so classed.

Coaches using the huddle system are strong for it over the old method of calling signals. More accurate, they claim.

Sandy Herd, at the age of 37, was the outstanding figure in this year's British professional championship.

If aerial football continues to grow in popularity, the next step will be to play it from airplanes and dirigibles.

Coaching a major college football team is now a precarious job. The big overhead of the various stadiums makes it necessary to turn out a winner.

Knut Rockne is pointing his Notre Dame eleven for the Nebraska game, Nov. 15. He seeks to wipe out the stigma of two successive defeats.

"Herb" McRacken, Lafayette's youthful football coach, learned the grid game at Pittsburg under "Pop" Warner's direction.

Two successive defeats apparently are about enough of Notre Dame for Princeton. The colleges had only a two-year agreement.

Dartmouth is sitting pretty in eastern football. Yale, Harvard and Princeton all offer dates for next season.

Coach Zappke of Illinois is developing Grange as a kicker. He will be a sure enough triple threat man then.

Few teams resort to the forward pass in an effort to score a point after touchdown. A field goal is usually attempted.

Coach Rockne of Notre Dame doesn't like one-man football teams. That is why the loss of a star seldom lowers up his proteges.

Ruth, who set 50 as his 1925 home run goal, fell just shy of the mark.

Shortstop Peckinbaugh times his runners better than any other infielder in the majors.

Erminio Spalla and Georges Carpentier will have an affair of the fists in Monte Carlo in January.

Jack Renault used to be a spring-pole partner in Jack Dempsey's training camp.

Boh Meusel of the Yanks has the strongest, most accurate arm in the majors.

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BELGIANS!



MAURICE DE WOLFE WITH INSERT OF HARRY STOCKLEY

A BELGIAN team is counted on as one of the most feared combinations in this year's six-day bike race in Madison Square Garden, New York. The team is made up of Maurice de Wolfe and Harry Stockley. Both are ranked as champions in their native land.

COLOR SCHEME WAS PROBLEM FOR GERMANS

BERLIN, Nov. 29.—Wishing to honor Hugo Eckener, the Berlin newspaper publishers had a colorful story to tell today. They wanted to present the Zeppelin pilot with a wreath tied with the republican colors. Eckener didn't approve the red, black and gold. The press feared that use of the monarchical colors would offend President Ebert. Finally a compromise was reached on the Holstein colors, those of Eckener's homeland.

PORT ARTHUR BLOCKS SALE OF SANDCRABS

Port Arthur is holding up disposition of the Galveston franchise in the Texas League offered this city recently by J. Doak Roberts, president, while several other cities in the Lone Star State clamor for recognition.

This became known last night when press dispatches from Houston indicated that Roberts and other officials of the league are waiting until Port Arthur is heard from. The chance offered this city "is one of a life time," in the words of Roberts, and would furnish us one of the best means of advertising that could be obtained.

Inability of Galveston to attract a crowd has practically killed professional baseball in the Gulf City. So Galveston must dispose of her stock. Last season she failed to draw a gate of \$50,000, and that is requisite to the operation of the franchise, according to Roberts.

President Roberts came to Port Arthur recently on a hurried visit and conversed with several business men here about the franchise, among them being a banker, it is understood. But whether there is a civic organization or any other body of men that will become interested in the project remains to be seen. Purchase of the franchise here, with Beaumont so nearby, would probably develop a spirit of community rivalry that would naturally bolster up the gate receipts of both cities, since there is so much rivalry between Port Arthur and Beaumont. And, with the Chamber of Commerce still mothering the idea of constructing an athletic field on the land thrown up on Pleasure Pier, the question of a suitable diamond should not be a provoking one.

But Port Arthur must act soon, else the opportunity proffered by Roberts will slip by.

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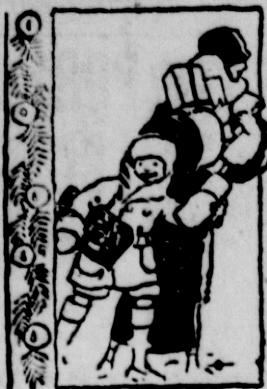
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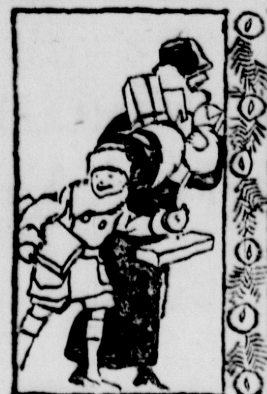
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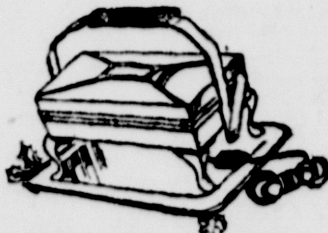
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investigation by authorities a scientist probably less in knowledge about the death of Mrs. Addie Sheatsley, Luther pastor's wife, than a mystery in recent years.

Except for further examination Mrs. Sheatsley's organs by a chemist and a pathologist, all of the investigation into her death came to an

ment of Prosecutor John R. K. that "everything possible has been done, but we are no wiser than when we began."

Coroner Joseph Murphy probably will bring the now famous mystery case to a definite close some time next week by issuing a formal verdict of suicide.

Woman Confesses Dead Baby He

The woman's confirmation of information stated a traveling salesman of Miami, Okla., whom she alleged was at her side when the baby was born near Picher Wednesday. Search was instituted tonight for the salesmanned.

The baby was placed in the case by the salesman, Mrs. Thompson said.

Electricity of Sun Nature's Alarm Clock

The electric rays from the sun, traveling with the speed of light, "strike the earth with sufficient force to cause the earth's revolution upon its axis, its yearly turn around the sun, as well as to hold it in place in the heavens," Mr. Haz-

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SIDE SHOW FREAKS WED

Fat Girl Marries Human Skeleton

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Mrs. Peter Robinson (nee Baby Bunny Smith, weight 467 pounds) was shaking the bed sheets in a feverish effort to find her newly-achieved 58-pound husband.

"I hope I didn't roll over in the night," she said in a worried voice, and her agitation seemed quite natural considering that they had been married but 12 hours.

"You see," she continued, "he's the only living skeleton alive today and a big sideshow attraction. He's really very valuable. And, besides, he's my husband and I love him."

At this moment, however, Peter Robinson, one of the most famous of sideshow freaks, swung leisurely out from between the mattress and the bedspring in time to tell the romantic story of the love of a circus "fat lady" for a "human skeleton."

He Pined Away

"Well we met about five years ago in a side show," began Robinson.

But the missus interrupted him with: "Yes, and he was in love with Sweet Adeline, another fat girl, and I cut her out. He's always preferred fat girls. He's been in love with eight of them. Believe me, all the sideshow girls were after Pete. He's one of the biggest money makers in the business. Human skeletons are not common like tattooed men and dwarfs."

"But suppose she feeds you too well and you gain weight?" suggested the interviewer.

Both bride and groom shivered at the prospect.

"Was this your first love?" the interviewer asked of the Junoesque Babe.

Pete Is Shy

"No, I was married once before. But that was when I was thin and men were not so hard to get. You see I only became a really fat, fat girl about five or six years ago. At birth I weighed but a pound and three-quarters."

"Now how about a honeymoon?" the reporter went on.

"That's the trouble—there's no place we haven't been. I guess we'll rest, for we have to go out with the circus again in the spring, and won't I have it on the sideshow gals—?" Babe fairly glowed.

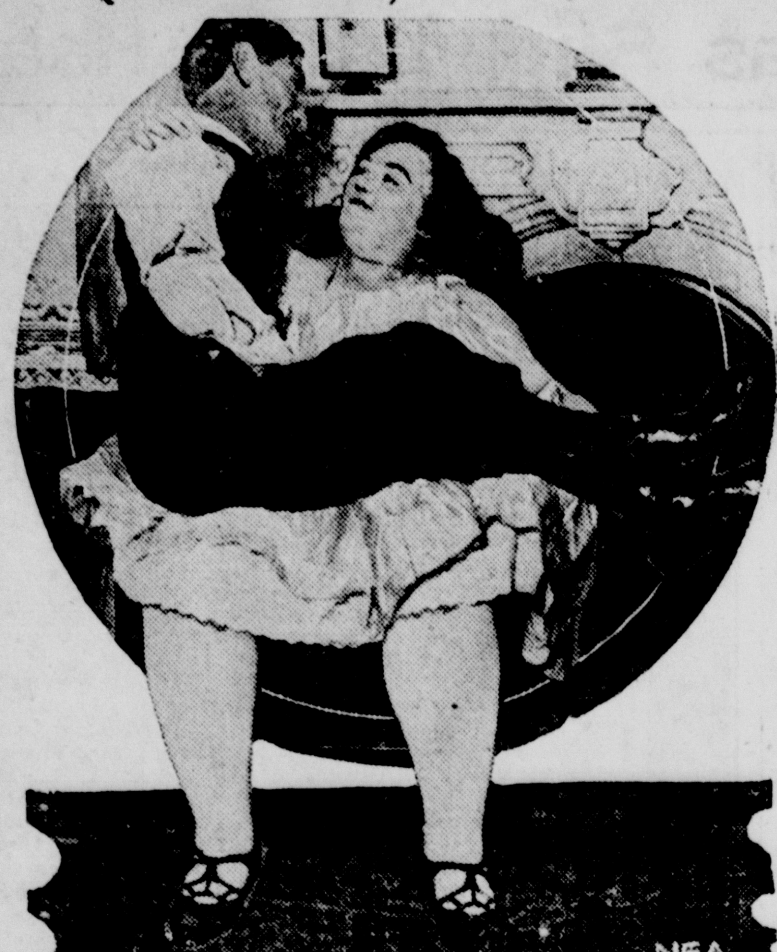
Pete, meanwhile, had coyly and modestly disappeared behind the hat rack.

Scientists Listen To Roar of Electrons

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Nov. 29.—Experiments by which scientists are able to listen to the movement of electrons, the smallest particles of all matter, were described here today by Dr. A. W. Hull of the research laboratory of the General Electric company, at the annual meeting of the American Physical society.

The vacuum tube amplifier in which the amplification is carried to a hundred-thousand fold, and with which a million fold can be reached, makes this possible, Dr. Hull stated. The sound produced by the electrons is caused by bombardment of the plate by electrons, released from the hot filament. It is these electrons which carry the current and which make the operation of the tube possible.

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THE SUNDAY NEWS' SOCIAL AND CLUB PAGE

Social Activities of The Past Week are Featured By Brilliant Wedding

THE old saying that Dan Cupid is partial to June as a wedding month certainly does not hold good this year as evidenced by the many weddings which have taken place during the fall. Heralded by many pre-nuptial hospitalities, perhaps the most brilliant wedding of the entire fall season took place Thursday evening at the First M. E. church, south, when Miss Leonora Latimer, younger daughter of Mrs. Kate Latimer, became the attractive bride of Mr. Leslie Harold Lee, Dr. V. A. Godbey performed the impressive ceremony.

The church was in elaborate bridal adornment for the marriage, a rainbow motif being displayed by a profusion of gorgeous chrysanthemums of white, pink, and yellow hues clustered in tall pedestals against a background of palms, fern and anthurus. The altar rail was draped with Spanish moss and baskets of the pretty blossoms outlined the approach to the altar. The marriage vows were spoken beneath a canopy of streamers, featuring the rainbow theme, and suspended from the center of the canopy was a huge wedding bell formed of white and yellow chrysanthemums. The luminous glow of many multi-colored candles in tall candleholders shed a soft glow over the scene.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Maurice Latimer, made a charming picture in her exquisite wedding gown of lustrous white satin, draped effect and elaborately beaded with the court train of white satin falling from the shoulders. Over this beautiful costume fell the folds of her wonderful veil of rare point lace, lace adjusted with a band of orange blossoms. She carried a beautiful bouquet of orchids, and lilies of the valley.

The gowns of the bride's attendants were of white crepe and satin and featured a rainbow motif. The matron, Mrs. L. A. Glickler, sister of the bride, wore a handsome costume of pink satin lustrous with silver trimmings, and a becoming bouffant. She carried an arm cluster of lovely white and pink chrysanthemums.

Miss Ann Welch, maid of honor, was charming in a dainty frock of lavender satin and georgette, with elaboration of steel beads, and her pretty bouffant was adorned with lavender streamers and silver flowers. She carried beautiful shaggy lavender chrysanthemums. Little Miss Margaret Gum of Houston wore a lovely pink crepe gown with hat of coordinating hue and carried a basket of fragrant pink roses.

Misses Addie Dismukes and Helen Holmes, senior maids, wore becoming frocks, Miss Dismukes' frock being of pale green with trimmings of gold beads and Miss Holmes' being of yellow canton crepe trimmed with venetian lace. Both senior maids wore hats in harmony with their costumes and carried arm bouquets of chrysanthemums.

The junior maids, little Misses Louise Latimer and Elizabeth Latimer, were adorable in delicate white frocks, Louise wearing blue with ostrich trimming and Elizabeth in orange crepe. Their dainty hats matched their frocks and both carried baskets of flowers. Little Mary Elizabeth Hamilton and Sarah Leigh McClellan, the train bearers, were very winning in their white tulle dresses, which were made to represent butterflies.

The groom was attended by John A. Brown of Haysville, Mo., as best man. Ushers were Ted Lee of Beaumont, brother of the groom, James W. Lawless of Austin, Fred Hill and Warren Windhome.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother in the Griffing Residential. The home was a bower of chrysanthemums and fall flowers, the bride's table being the center of attraction spread with handsome point lace cover. The wedding cake, a ring-shaped confection, topped with a miniature bride and groom, was placed beneath a large wedding bell fashioned of white chrysanthemums with the light forming the clapper. Mrs. S. O. Latimer presided over the cake and was assisted by Mrs. W. D. Rhineland. Mrs. Charles Perry and Miss Frances Canada served punch to the guests. One hundred guests attended the reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee left during the evening for a trip to New Orleans, La., and other points of interest, the bride traveling in a mudshod twill traveling costume with smart hat and accessories in harmony. Upon their return they will be at home to their friends at Griffing Residential Park.

The wedding was of unusual interest because of the popularity of the bride, who is widely known throughout the city. She was reared and educated in Port Arthur and is one of the city's most beloved young women. Her marriage to Mr. Lee was preceded by a round of pre-nuptial hospitalities that evidenced her popularity. The groom is secretary-treasurer of the Port Arthur Planning Mill.

Out of ten guests for the wedding were Mrs. B. E. Hastings and Miss Gladys Lawless of Columbia; J. W. Lawless of Austin, L. C. Reardon of Portney; and Mr. and Mrs. Gum of Houston.

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At the left above is seen a Bendel importation of black velvet featuring embroidery of gold and crystal beads on flesh radiance. On the right is a Russian ermine evening wrap. It is of one piece and is worn to form a double cape of whatever length desired.

Reading Club In Interesting Session Friday

One of the most interesting programs of the Reading club year was given Friday afternoon when Mrs. Pendleton Beall sponsored a study of Booth Tarkington's two novels, "The Magnificent Ambersons" and "The Midlander." Roll call was responded to with quotations from the two novels under discussion, and the program was opened with Mrs. J. G. Glasgow's paper, "Booth Tarkington and His Works." Mrs. T. B. Sappington gave a comparison of the two novels, following which a lengthy discussion of them was conducted by the leader.

A short business session preceded the program and announcements were made that at next meeting a parliamentary drill will be held under the direction of the parliamentary, Mrs. G. H. Eubank.

Those in attendance Friday were Mrs. C. T. Allis, Mrs. E. D. Ames, Mrs. Pendleton Beall, Mrs. J. B. Burroughs, Mrs. A. C. Barron, Mrs. J. E. Carr, Mrs. B. H. Davidson, Mrs. A. A. Dupuis, Mrs. T. G. Dellinger, Mrs. G. H. Eubank, Mrs. John Glasgow, Mrs. Mary Donnellson, Mrs. H. K. Goodwin, Mrs. M. S. Goss, Mrs. M. L. Hill, Mrs. C. A. McCall, Mrs. Margaret Mosley, Mrs. Roy Gillette, Mrs. George N. Pohl, Mrs. T. B. Sappington, Mrs. E. O. Smith, Mrs. O. G. Wilson, Mrs. F. Y. Low, Mrs. S. C. Dunlop, Mrs. C. L. Wignall, Mrs. F. Axtell, Mrs. K. A. Young, Mrs. H. F. Banker, Mrs. H. O. Mills, Miss Elma Walker, Miss Lee Dale Strange, Miss Vernon Dilworth and Mrs. H. P. Foote.

MOONBEAMS CLUB HAS MEETING

The Moonbeams club held its weekly meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Inez Rabin, and the following officers were installed: Miss Christine Rabin, president; Miss Christine Whitman, secretary and social editor; Miss Beulah Boudreau, treasurer; Miss Lorie Lee, "bouncer." Christmas plans were discussed and the club decided to have a Christmas box. A social hour followed and refreshments were served.

The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Miss Hazel Borel, 1235 Nederland avenue.

MRS. McNAMARA RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Charles E. McNamara and Mrs. A. L. Manuel have returned from the Pacific coast, where they spent a visit in Los Angeles, Long Beach, Venice and Ocean Park. They also visited in Hollywood and were the guests of Commander Jones on the U. S. S. West Virginia, one of the largest battleships of the United States.

Sacred Concert At Westminster Church Tonight

A sacred concert will be given at the Westminster Presbyterian church which is now holding services at the Department club house on Lake Shore drive. The concert will be given at 7:30 o'clock. The program follows: Invocation, Rev. T. W. Ziegler. Hymn, "O Come All Ye Faithful." Anthem: "O Lord, How Majestic" (J. Dambly). Trio from "Attila," "Praise Ye" (G. Verdi), Miss Ethel King and Messrs. A. M. Culpepper and F. H. Seubold. Solo: "O Divine Redeemer" (Gounod), Mrs. R. E. Theobald. Anthem: "In Heavenly Love Abiding" (R. H. Shelley), Mrs. O. E. Abel and choir. Offertory: "Melody in E" (Rachmaninoff), Mrs. T. J. Twomey. Violin solo: "Going Home" (Anton Dvorak), Miss Bessie Reese with accompaniment by Miss Hattie Reese. Solo: "Praise Be Unto You" (Scott), Miss Ethel King. Male quartet: "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say" (Rathbun), Messrs. Culpepper, Palmer, Baxter and Seubold. Solo: "Eye Hath Not Seen" from "The Holy City" (Gaul), Mrs. Alfred Stehner. Anthem: "Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem" (Munster), Choir. Benediction, Rev. T. W. Ziegler.

W. S. L. CLUB TO MEET TUESDAY

The Women's Self Improvement club will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. P. Landis, at her home 1547 Procter street, at 3 o'clock. The club program will deal with "Treasure Legends of Texas" and will be as follows: Roll call; Treasure legends. Reading: "An Inquiry into the Sources of Treasure Legends of Texas," Mrs. E. J. Smith. Reading: "Lost Mines of the Llano and San Sabá," Mrs. W. S. Thompson. Reading: "Buried Treasures of Legend of Milan County," Mrs. C. A. Pearson.

NITE SERENADERS HAVE SNOOKER

The Nite Serenaders met Tuesday evening at the club room of the Hartman home at which time the club was reorganized and a snooker was held. Refreshments were served to Whitney Hartman, Alvin Gentil, Junior Revere, Frances Gentil, Eulice Doreen, Victor Dolce, and Minor Moss.

Presbyterian Choir to Give Sacred Concert

A sacred concert will be given this evening at the First Presbyterian church at 7:30 o'clock by the choir under the direction of Mrs. Clifford G. Hall, and with Mrs. A. R. Autrey at the piano.

The program follows: Hymn—Congregation. Prayer—Rev. T. Alvis Davis. Response: "We Thank Thee" (Briggs). Anthem: "Now the Day Is Over" (Speaks)—Choir, L. G. Swanson, tenor soloist. Violin solo: "Largo" (Handel)—Miss Julia Jack Rount. Anthem: "Like Silent Springs" (Shelley). Announcements. Offertory: "Give Alms of Thy Goods" (Bontemps)—L. G. Swanson, with violin obligato by Miss Rount. Anthem: "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" (Schuyler)—Mrs. M. A. Smith, soprano soloist. Anthem: "Te Deum" (Schnecker)—Choir. None Dimittis (Hadley). Benediction.

LADIES' AID TO HAVE EXCHANGE OF GIFTS

The Ladies' Aid of the First Methodist Episcopal church will hold their annual exchange of gifts Wednesday afternoon at the church at 2:30 o'clock. The exchange of gifts is being held now because this will be the last meeting of the Ladies' Aid this year.

Hostesses for Thursday afternoon will be Mrs. John Kuhn, Mrs. L. L. LeMaster, Mrs. R. Gray and Mrs. W. H. McGirt. Mrs. R. E. Camp will have charge of the devotional service. All members of the Ladies' Aid and their friends are cordially invited to attend the affair. The entertainment committee is comprised of Mrs. Charles Stevenson, Mrs. Earl Borden, Mrs. E. J. Smith, Mrs. Burt Camp and Mrs. J. Whelpley.

MR. AND MRS. ANSLER MOVE TO PORT ARTHUR

Mr. and Mrs. Neil F. Anslar have moved to Port Arthur from Houston and are pleasantly located at 540 Lake Charles avenue.

Pretty Card Party Given At K. C. Hall

The Wabash Camp Fire girls entertained with a card party at Knights of Columbus hall Wednesday evening. The hall was decorated with a profusion of multi-colored chrysanthemums and the Thanksgiving motif prevailed in the decorative scheme and in the card table appointments.

The guests were greeted at the door by Misses Rosemary Stiehl and Eugenia Jacobowicz and were conducted to the assembly room by Misses Leona Rogers and Lucille Breaux. Misses Clara Rogers and Effie Mosier passed the tallies.

Five hundred and bridge gave diversion during the evening, eleven tables of players being assembled. In the games of bridge Mrs. R. E. Theobald was awarded the ladies' prize for high score and the gentlemen's favor was presented to A. Loidold. For success in the games of five hundred Mrs. L. L. Billeaud received the ladies' prize and L. P. Dasput captured the men's favor. Consolation prizes fell to Miss Florence Bash and Basil Moran.

Preceding the games a short musical program was given with Misses Clara Rogers and Louise Marchbanks singing a duet, and piano solos by Misses Isabelle Billeaud and Lois Krohn. Refreshments were served by Misses Florence Bamert, Virginia Adolphus, Helen Rose Loidold and Eugenia Jacobowicz.

Epworth League Will Have Special Program

An interesting program has been arranged by the Epworth league of the First Methodist Episcopal church for this evening's meeting at 6:30 o'clock. The subject for the occasion is "Loyalty." An orchestra will furnish special musical numbers for the evening.

Dramatization of the various phases of loyalty to the home, to the church and God, and to the country will feature the program. The devotional lesson will be included in the dramatization of loyalty to the home, which will be given by Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Abber and their little daughter, Mae Elizabeth.

PRETTY SHOWER FOR MRS. O. A. GROVES

Mrs. O. A. Groves was honored by a shower by the Loyalty League of the First Baptist church Friday evening. The young people assembled at the church and motored to the Groves' new home in Belmont Heights. Arriving at the home the young people formed in a line and entered the house in couples, with Mrs. C. D. Williams and Miss Bessie Pierce leading. Webb Miers and M. Woodall were the last ones to enter and brought with them an attractively decorated basket filled with many gifts for the new home, which they presented to Mr. and Mrs. Groves. Miss Bessie Pierce, president of the Loyalty union, made a speech of presentation. Later a bonfire was built and a roast was enjoyed.

Those participating in the surprise were Misses Peggy Jacobs, Bessie Pierce, Faddette Talley and Olive Earnest; Messrs. Fred McCleave, Webb Miers, Melvin Moak and Edgar Ervine and M. Woodall; Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Nantz, Mrs. C. D. Williams, Mrs. L. Livingston, Mrs. Vernon Eddy, and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Groves.

COUNCIL PARTY ON WEDNESDAY

On Wednesday afternoon, December 3, Mrs. B. Horwitz will entertain the Council of Jewish Women with a bridge party at her home, 2632 Sixth street, at 3 o'clock. All members of the Council of Jewish Women are cordially invited and urged to attend the party.

MRS. BAIRD HAS GUEST

Mrs. Bass of DeRidder, La., is visiting Mrs. H. W. Baird of 615 DeQueen boulevard.

Novel Entertainment Is Arranged for Thursday At Christian Church

With the basement of the church arranged to represent the circus grounds and all the novelties of a circus assembled for one evening's entertainment, the adult department of the First Christian Sunday school will entertain with a "Free Circus" Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Tight rope walkers, clowns, the fattest man and the leanest man in the world, a negro quartet, side shows, and various other features of the circus will be included in the "Free Circus." A stage will be constructed in the center of the large Sunday school auditorium on which the stunts will be performed so that they may be viewed by all the visitors.

The program for the evening will be a surprise, and announcement was made yesterday that there will be a policeman on hand to arrest anyone acting dignified. The social committee from the Women's Bible class, comprised of Mrs. Harrison Fisher, Mrs. H. W. McCorkle, and Mrs. E. Walker, is arranging the program and the refreshments for this occasion. Mrs. R. R. Yelderman is the teacher of the Women's Bible class.

The Men's Bible class is to arrange the circus grounds. The partitions in the Sunday school auditorium are to be removed throwing the room into one large spacious circus ground. The Glensires class will have charge of the invitations to the circus and the decorations of the circus grounds. R. E. McManis and L. G. Douglas comprise the committee from the Glensires class in charge of the arrangements. The invitations which are being arranged by this committee are clever affairs giving in detail the features of "Free Circus."

Mrs. B. Hollifield Entertains Club

Mrs. Byron Hollifield entertained the members of the Wednesday Needle club with an informal afternoon of needlework at her home, 2321 Fourth street, Wednesday afternoon. The hostess served a salad course during the late afternoon hours.

The guests were Mrs. J. H. Turnham, Mrs. Earl Godbold, Mrs. J. E. Grady, Mrs. R. G. Schlechter, Mrs. J. A. Pluecker, Mrs. Paul Mills, Mrs. Alfred Bass, Mrs. Fred Galloway, Mrs. Raymond Sayer, Mrs. Morris and Mrs. Byron Hollifield.

DR. AND MRS. THOMPSON HAVE HOUSE GUEST

Mrs. N. E. LeBlanc of Lake Charles, La., is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Thompson of 3541 Fifth St.

Mrs. Thomas Culp Hostess to Club

Mrs. Thomas Culp entertained at a bridge Wednesday afternoon at her home on DeQueen boulevard. The guests included members of the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge club. The home decorations featured a delicate yellow and blue motif. Bridge table accessories reflected the theme. In the games Mrs. Henry Guiley was awarded the first prize for high score and Mrs. J. M. Plyler received the second favor. A salad course was served at the close of the games.

Two tables of players took part. Among the guests were Mrs. J. D. Bryan, Mrs. J. M. Plyler, Mrs. George Delavan, Mrs. George Howard, Mrs. J. Poole, Mrs. Henry Guiley, Mrs. George Edwards, and Mrs. Thomas Culp.

Mrs. J. M. Plyler Will Entertain

Mrs. J. M. Plyler will entertain the club next week at her home, 1033 Sixth street.

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Miss DeGraffenreidt Entertains for Guest

A dance was given Friday night at the department club by Miss Elouise DeGraffenreidt in honor of Miss Frances Denbo of Houston. Music for the evening was furnished by the "Hot Oats" orchestra, composed of Miss Bernice Henderson, piano; Leonard Rogers, saxophone-clarinet; J. N. Carothers, harp-clarinet; and William Coughlin, drums. The feature of the dance was the midnight waltz. Those attending were Misses Frances Denbo, Beatrix Smith, Cora Walker, Sarah Harwell, Curtis Cochran, Floris Aiken, Ruth Chestnut, Beatrice Post, Lelia Mae Smith, Pauline Turborough, Margaret McDonald, Lila LeBlanc, Velma Welch, Dorothy Stevenson, Marjorie Miles, Wilma Sims, Maxine Kuhlman, Elouise Goodwin, Bernice Goodwin, Pauline Durham, Nellie Longe, Ethel Norris, Gladys Greenlee and Elouise DeGraffenreidt, Messrs. Leon Smith, Earl Smith, Alexander Guidry, C. J. Kuhlman, English Brannon, O. B. Carter, Ismael Guidry, Ed Forshee, Gwyn McAlpine, Don Henderson, G. K. Lomax, Dan Prudhomme, Glenn Bell, Eddie Morgan, Jewel Livingston, James Livingston, Andrew McWhorter, Oliver McWhorter, Byrd Brannon, Kenneth Overton, Roy Hodges, Ed Dupuis, Weldon Davis, James Holton, Jack Rice, Raymond Pittman, J. R. Woodall, Glenn Galt, John Blair, Oswald Wakasch, Romaine Prejan, Frank Taylor, E. Felt, Edward Smith, Ernest Byler, Tom Gorin, Thurston Goodwin, Charles Daniels, Alton Lewis, George Stewart, James Walker, and Eddie Ledet; Mr. and Mrs. Van Mercer and Mrs. Bertha Findley.

Symphony Club Will Study Tone Pictures

A study of winter music and a general discussion of tone pictures will feature the Symphony club session tomorrow afternoon at the Department club at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Vivian B. Peveto will sponsor the program which will be as follows: Voice: "To be sung on the Water." (Schubert), Mrs. R. L. Drake. Trio: "In the Boat," (Grieg), Mrs. J. A. Bledsoe, Miss Maudie Hendrickson, and Mrs. O. E. Abner. Piano: (a) "The Brook," (MacDowell), (b) "Moonshine," Mrs. O. G. Westmoreland. Piano: Selected, Mrs. W. M. Crockett. Voice: "Crying of the Water," (Campbell-Tipton), Mrs. E. N. McGuire. Violin: Selected, Miss Julia Jack Rount.

FERN GLIDDEN GIVEN SURPRISE

Mrs. E. M. Anderson of 724 Lake Charles avenue entertained Fern Glidden with a surprise party Saturday evening, the occasion being her sixteenth birthday. The decorations of the home were pink and white. The cake was decorated with sixteen tiny pink candles. Games and contests gave diversion during the evening, following which an ice course was served. The honoree received many presents. Those present were Marie Berlin, Bessie Schultin, Marie Bogel, Eloise Laue, L. A. Laue, Jr., Sidney Anderson, J. B. Reynolds, Emma Guy, Fern Glidden, Alma Bogel, E. G. Glidden, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Laue, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Glidden, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Arnold and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Anderson.

SACRED CONCERT BEING PLANNED

The choir of the First Baptist church under the direction of Mrs. E. H. McGuire is planning a sacred concert for next Sunday evening at the church. The choir will be assisted by Miss Gladys Harned's Mozart Violin choir of Beaumont, Mrs. R. E. Theobald, Mrs. Alfred Steinkamp of Kentucky and a double mixed quartet. Selections from "Elijah" and "Creation" will be sung. This morning at the First Baptist church the choir will sing the Thanksgiving anthem, "Father of Mercy" by Schnecker, with Mrs. McGuire and A. L. Foster as soloists. Tonight Mrs. McGuire and Mr. Foster will sing a duet, "Comfort Ye One Another" by Jewett.

LEGION TO HAVE HOUSEWARMING

The American Legion and the Legion auxiliary will have a housewarming Dec. 12 at the clubhouse on Lake Shore drive. Final arrangements will be completed Tuesday evening at the session of the auxiliary at Mrs. M. S. Goss' home, 1900 Sixth street, at 7:30 o'clock. At this session the nomination of officers will also take place. The auxiliary will have charge of the entertainment for the housewarming and also the refreshments. An invitation is extended to the ex-service men to attend the housewarming as well as the general public.

COUNCIL HAS BOARD MEET

The Council of Jewish Women met in executive session Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sam Harris on Procter street, and discussed several important business matters. The council will hold a rummage sale some time this month, a definite date to be announced as soon as final arrangements are completed.

Women May Hate Snakes, But Still They Wear Them



NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Women may never get over an instinctive hatred of snakes, but they appear to have conquered all feeling against wearing snakeskin. Snakeskin hats and shoes were introduced as a novelty last season, and this season they are becoming popular. Besides the snake's contribution to the bootmaker, the leopard, zebra and lion, ostrich alligator and lizard are doing their bit and delivering their hides.

Congregational Aid Will Hold Bazaar

The annual Christmas bazaar will be held by the Missionary society of the Congregational church Dec. 8 and 9 in the Latimer building. December 8 a turkey dinner will be served from 5 to 8 p. m. in addition to the usual bazaar and on the following day only the bazaar will be held. Final arrangements were made at Friday's session of the Missionary society at Mrs. C. E. Weidner's home, 530 Mobile avenue. The afternoon's program was on "Thanksgiving," and after the devotional service by Mrs. W. J. Steck, Mrs. J. C. Reynolds gave a poem on "Thanksgiving," and Mrs. Guy Carroll read a paper on "Thanksgiving Among Ancient Peoples." Mrs. F. E. Gifford told of Thanksgiving Day as observed in America and Mrs. S. E. Schmitz read a paper on "Thanksgiving Meditations." A social hour followed and refreshments were served.

Those present were Mrs. B. S. Elmendorf, Mrs. G. R. Balliet, Mrs. S. E. Schmitz, Miss Elizabeth Ludeman, Mrs. C. E. Abbey, Mrs. F. E. Gifford, Mrs. Guy Carroll, Mrs. J. E. Becker, Mrs. Marjann, Mrs. W. J. Foy, Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, Mrs. W. J. Steck, Mrs. E. M. Friedl, Mrs. A. L. Humphreys and Mrs. C. E. Weidner.

CIVIC CLUB TO MEET FRIDAY

The Civic club will meet Friday afternoon at the Department club house at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Joe Corbell, Mrs. H. K. Goodwin and Mrs. Harry Baker have arranged the program, which will be as follows: "Cave of Shrubbers and Plants at This Time of the Year"—T. R. Winkler, landscape gardener. Paper: "Care and Planting of Rosebuds in December," Mrs. T. W. Hughes. Reading—Miss Leona Dietz.

W. C. TO ELECT OFFICERS

The Woodmen Circle will hold an election of officers Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the hall in Hartford building. All members of the drill team are requested to be in attendance. An entertainment will be held after the business session. Mrs. Siddle Stephenson of Groveton, district manager, will be in attendance at this meeting.

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Missionary Society Entertained Friday

Mrs. H. C. Maile, Mrs. Henry McGuire and Mrs. E. C. Follette were hostesses to the Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist Episcopal church Friday afternoon at the church. The devotional service was conducted by Mrs. W. H. Achey, following which Mrs. C. R. Robinson conducted the lesson study and Mrs. A. B. Chenier and Mrs. C. W. Rodgers gave a brief sketch, "Passages." At a short business session the members voted to bring 25 cents each to the December meeting for the Christmas offering. Refreshments were served. Those attending were Mrs. C. V. Palmer, Mrs. F. A. Bushong, Mrs. Frank Montgomery, Mrs. E. W. Streeter, Mrs. E. C. Follette, Mrs. W. H. Achey, Mrs. H. C. Maile, Mrs. Henry McGuire, Mrs. A. B. Chenier, Mrs. E. J. Smith, Mrs. C. W. Rodgers, Mrs. C. A. McDonald, Mrs. P. S. DeWitt, Mrs. C. H. Robinson and Mrs. J. A. Paschal.

Mrs. F. L. Teuton Will Entertain Y.W.C. Club

Mrs. F. L. Teuton will be hostess to the Young Woman's Culture club Wednesday afternoon at her home, 2111 Procter street. The afternoon's program will deal with "Social Behavior and Sentiments," a study in psychology and will be in charge of Mrs. A. A. Gunter. The program follows: "The place of the sentiments in social behavior and their nature," Mrs. John Vaughn. "The growth of sentiment," Mrs. J. H. Arnold. "The relation of sympathy and sentiment," Mrs. Arthur Beard. Questions for general discussion under the direction of the leader: What is the psychological composition of a sentiment in the individual? What light does this throw on social sentiments? Why is it hard to change public sentiment? What relation can be found between sentiment and laws? What is meant by the "moralization of the self-regarding sentiment"? Give an accurate definition of sympathy. What connection is to be found between sympathy and "consciousness of kind"?

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DANCE PROVES DELIGHTFUL

The dance at the Plaza Wednesday evening was attended by 200 guests. Two of the features of the evening were the moonlight waltz and the singing of the choruses of the songs. The Jaymakers seven-piece orchestra furnished the music. A buffet supper was served at midnight.

PARTY SPENDS DAY IN ORANGE

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Loeb and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vincent and children spent Thanksgiving day visiting with friends in Orange.

PARTY ENJOYING CAMPING TRIP

A delightful week-end camping trip is being enjoyed at Moon's Switch by Misses Naomi O'Neill, Mabel Wahl, Vera Wahl, and Mary Milburn; Messrs. John Peck, Bill Leffingwell, Owen King and Walter O'Neill; and Mr. and Mrs. John King.

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Attractive Shower Given Bride-Elect

Mrs. W. C. Griffing entertained with a handkerchief shower Tuesday evening, complimenting Miss Leonora Latimer and her fiancé, Leslie Harold Lee, whose marriage took place Thursday evening. The shower was given at the Griffing home in Griffing Residential park. Hearts gave diversion during the evening, with George M. Campbell winning high score and Votaw Harrison the booby. They presented the prizes to the bride-elect.

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BAPTIST OFFICERS TO MEET MONDAY

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WALOHI CAMP TO HAVE CEREMONIAL

At a meeting of the Walohi Camp Fire Friday evening at the home of Eugenia Jacobovitz, 1001 Houston avenue the girls planned a ceremonial meet to be held about Dec. 15 at the home of Mrs. A. Loidold on Lake Shore drive. Plans were also discussed for a hike Sunday and for gifts to the Day Nursery at Christmas. Marshmallows were toasted in the fireplace during the evening, following which refreshments of hot chocolate and cake were served.

Those present were Leona Rogers, Clara Rogers, Rosemary Stief, Lucille Broux, Effie Mosier, Virginia Adolphus, Louise Marshbanks, Frances Jacobovitz, Lela Mae Marshbanks, Lois Krohn, Eugenia Jacobovitz, Mrs. George Stehl, Mrs. L. P. Daspit, and Mrs. J. F. Jacobovitz.

MUSIC STUDY CLUB TO MEET SATURDAY

The Girls Music Study club will meet Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Mrs. O. L. Morton's studio. An interesting program is being planned for this occasion, with Etta Mae Follette as the hostess and Ruth Dimmicks as the chairman.

MRS. LATIMER HAS GUESTS

Mrs. Kate Latimer of Griffing Residential park has as her guests, Mrs. Ben Hastings and Miss Gladys Lawless of Columbia, who were here to attend the Latimer-Lee wedding.

MRS. T. J. TWOMEY PLAYS IN HOUSTON

Mrs. T. J. Twomey, talented Port Arthur musician, appeared on the program of the State Federation of Music Teachers which met in Houston yesterday. The program was given at the Rive hotel, and Port Arthur was especially honored in having Mrs. Twomey appear in the program. Mrs. Twomey played Cadman's "First Movement, Sonata in A Major."

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TRADE MARK

SOCIETY

Cokesbury League Entertains Friday

The Cokesbury League of the First M. E. church, South, entertained with a Thanksgiving festival at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bowen, 2411 Seventh street. The home was attractively decorated with baskets of chrysanthemums. The entertainment took the form of a track meet, and interesting games were enjoyed between the two factions during the evening, refreshments were served.

Among the guests were Louise Graves, Katherine Wall, Helen Graves, Roy Broadway, Mabel Orr, Lucy Frank Walters, Nellie Cox, Ione Singleton, Evelyn Taylor, Mildred Saxon, Gene Paul Starke, Willie R. Seallors, Joseph Hart, Virgil Prewitt, Frank Chambers, Lawrence Larpenter, Thelma Campbell, J. S. Gay, Mary Margaret Ward, Willa Prewitt, Elizabeth Neely, Gold Thompson, Syda Leise Thompson, Jack Ramsey, Lila Taylor, Una Singleton, Lydia Larpenter, Leta Jemison, W. R. Seallors, Adele Ellison, Clarence Alin, C. H. Moffatt, W. C. Winger, Roy Bean, Willie R. Dillon, H. S. Singleton, Mary Jane Washburne, Geraldine Massey, J. O. Newcomer, Alice Newcomer, Phil Corley, A. R. McCoy, Gwyn McAlpine, Harvey Winger, Claude Stanley, Willie Bowen, H. C. Moffatt, Myrtle Bowen, Mrs. D. A. Daigle, Mrs. T. T. Riggs and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bowen.

Talented Reader To Appear In Program

Music lovers of Port Arthur are looking forward with interest to the program which will be given by Miss Helen Waggoner at the Department club on Tuesday evening, Dec. 16, under the auspices of the Symphony club.

Miss Waggoner has a host of friends in Port Arthur who will be delighted to learn of her expected visit here. She will stop in the city a few days as the guests of Mrs. C. G. Hall enroute to her home in Topeka, Kansas, after an eastern tour, and while here will give a program of readings and musical numbers for the Symphony club. The proceeds of the entertainment will go toward the Symphony club piano fund.

Arrangements for the affair will be completed at tomorrow afternoon's session of the club and committees will be appointed to assist in finalizing plans for the entertainment.

MISS PHELAN HAS GUEST

Miss Lydia Gene Phelan of 1701 Sixth street has as her guest, her sister, Miss Helen Phelan of Rogers, Ark., who returned with her from Houston where they have been spending the Thanksgiving holidays with relatives.

When Chicago's "Debs" Frolic



Dorothy Knowles is one of the Chicago society girls who has adopted the study of rhythmic dancing as a means of acquiring true grace and perfection of form. The tutor is Ernest Evans. Many of the graduates of Evans' classes have taken up professional dancing as a career.

Harry Morgan, William Purdon, Buddy Jones, Eugene Jordan, Billy Wahl, Robert Dyer and John Wahl.

Miss Wahl was assisted in entertaining by her mother and her sisters, Misses Vera and Mabel Wahl.

EXCELSIOR B. Y. P. U. (First Baptist Church)

Malcolm Campbell, treasurer, with the missionary committee, will render a special program this evening at 6 o'clock. Baptist Medical mission will be discussed. The program is as follows:

Introduction—Hazel Heard.

1. Africa—Raymond Cowan.

2. Mexico—Mrs. Duhon.

3. North China.

(1) Hwangshien—Marie Rath.

(2) Pingtu—Elizabeth Young.

(3) Luchow-fu—Edna Eaves.

4. Central China—Orval Allen.

5. Interior China.

(1) Chengchow—L. D. Purser.

(2) Pochow, Anhwei—Edna Mae Perkins.

6. South China.

(1) South Memorial Hospital—Floyce Davis.

(2) Ramsey Memorial Hospital—Wyllie Gilstrap.

(3) The Leper Colony—Gra. Burgess.

Special music by quartet.

We have a chair placed for you in the Excelsior B. Y. P. U. department. After you have attended the program, we feel that you will be glad you occupied that chair.

Young Peoples Society To Have Novel Program

An old-fashioned candy pull will be enjoyed Sunday afternoon by the Young Peoples society at St. George's Episcopal church at 4 o'clock. An entertaining program has been arranged. The following numbers will be given:

Ukulele songs—Misses Cora Glasow, Eileen Peckham and Bernice Trahan.

Reading—Miss Bernice Trahan.

Violin solo—Joe Ellender.

Reading—Walter K. Glasow.

The candy pull will follow the program. All members of the Young Peoples' society and their friends are invited to attend.

Bank Bandits Get \$5,000 In Holdup

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 29.—Hubert Clark, negro messenger for the Twelfth Street bank was held up here today by two bandits and robbed of \$5,000 he was transporting from another bank.

Clark was walking down a crowded street when the two men stepped from an alley and forced him to go with them. In the alley they took the money which was in a satchel and escaped.

BILL WOULD PLACE DRIVERS UNDER BOND

AUSTIN, Nov. 29.—A bill requiring every person driving an automobile to purchase an indemnity bond to indemnify against loss of life and destruction of property by drivers of automobiles will be introduced in the coming session of the legislature by Representative George C. Kemble.

Fort Worth lawyer, he announced here today.

"Then, the long suffering public would have protection against the criminally careless drivers, as well as against unavoidable accidents," Kemble said.

HIGH SCHOOL GIRL RUN DOWN BY TRUCK

AUSTIN, Nov. 29.—Ray Townsley, Austin high school girl, was run down by a truck Saturday and dangerously injured. She was attempting to cross a street at the time of the accident.

EASIER TO GET LIQUOR NOW

So Congress Will Be Asked to Give Drys Money

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The only way to make prohibition prohibitory, congress will be told when it meets to consider appropriations for the next fiscal year, will be to dig a lot deeper into the national pocket-book.

Even here in the capital it must be admitted intemperance is more readily obtainable than two or three years ago, and the quality is much more dependable.

Producers of "moonshine" are no longer amateurs. The product they turn out today, in large part, lacks only the proper aging to make it compare favorably with many of the cheaper brands of pre-prohibition liquor.

A large distilling layout, located directly across the street from the house office building, where congressmen have their offices, was raided a few days after election.

It was equipped to turn out a product which even congressional palates might have pronounced good, had not its presence been disclosed by sheer accident.

Thirty-six states have pure seed laws.

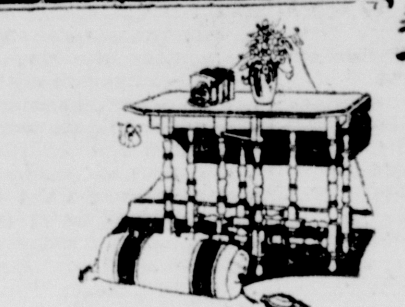
Gate Draughts

Not infrequently a decidedly unpleasant draught passes up through the holes in the gear lever gate, swirling about round the driver's legs. Sometimes the air entering the interior of a car in this way passes upward from the engine space and carries with it an unmistakable smell of burnt oil. Or it may be air from beneath the car, in which event, in cold weather, the driver may suffer from cold feet and legs on that account.

A simple means of preventing this draught consists of a sheet of thin metal having a hole in the center and fitting loosely round the gear lever resting on the floor or the top of the gate.—Automobile Digest.

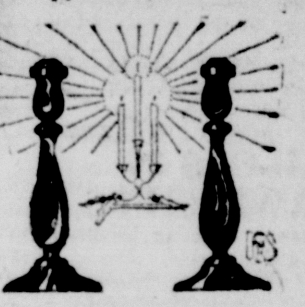
FURNITURE GIFTS

Make This a Furniture Christmas

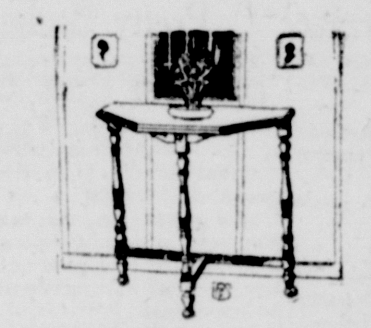
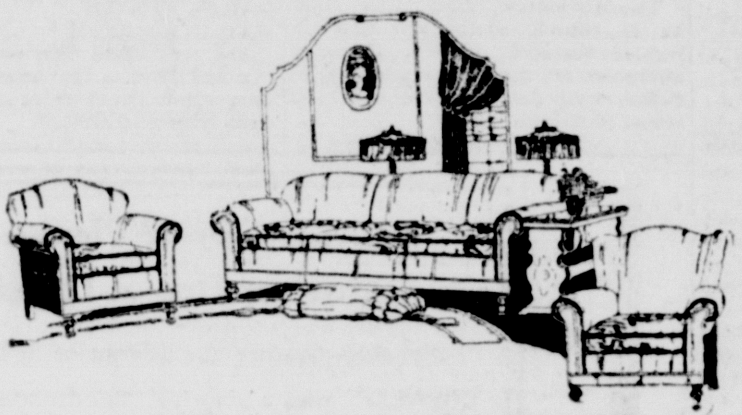


A Gateleg Table
A really magnificent gate leg table and one that will make a wonderful Christmas gift. A beautiful design matchlessly executed in walnut with a waxed finish. Only **\$24.75**

Have you noticed the increasing number of Christmas gifts that have been gifts of furniture? We have noticed the increase every year and this year promises to be far bigger than any. Folks realize more and more that practical gifts are more appreciated and more appropriate. Furniture is not only practical but beautiful and durable as well. See the wonderful assortment of gifts now on display on our main floor.

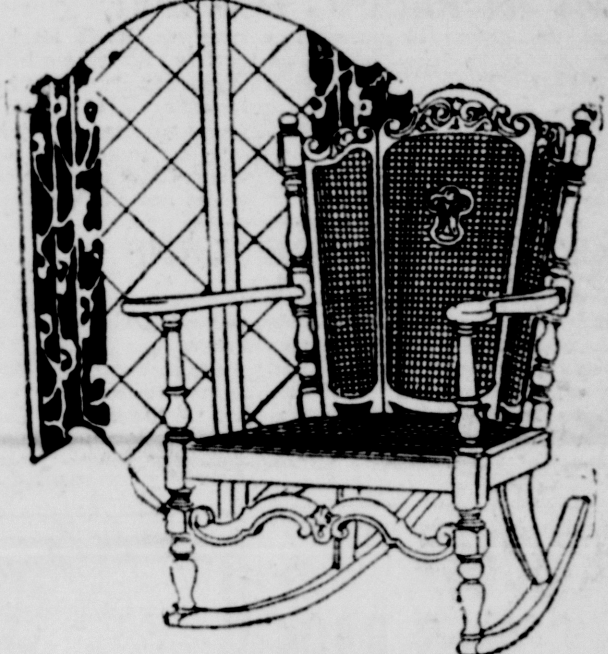


Candlesticks
Candlesticks make an appropriate gift for the Christmas season. They are not expensive, yet they are rich looking and appear to be a costly gift. The pair shown are in brown mahogany, priced the pair **\$1.79**



Console Table in Antique Mahogany

This console table beautifully designed and fashioned in antique walnut is the making of the reception hall. Any woman will be delighted to receive one. We ask only **\$3.85**

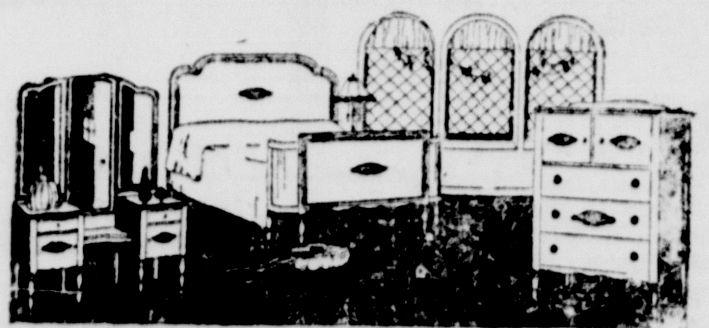


A Delightful Rocker in Antique Mahogany

Here is one of the most handsome chairs of the holiday season. An ornamented design in a beautiful antique mahogany. The back and the seat are of cane. A most attractive piece as well as a comfortable one **\$22.75**

For Your Gift to the Family

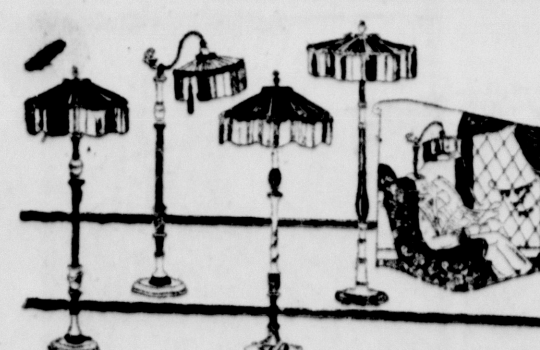
Give something that will give years of pleasure and comfort—something of beauty and utility. A new living room suite will serve this purpose well. An attractive suite, upholstered in velour, with loose spring-seat cushions in tapestry. The pieces are of generous size and are very comfortable. It is priced at **\$149.75**



A New Bedroom

For "her" gift why not a new bedroom suite? Her bedroom is her pride so what would please her more than so beautiful a suite as the one pictured? It means a distinctive bedroom, she will be proud to show her friends. It is in a beautiful French walnut with burl ornamental panels on the fronts. The pieces are of generous size. Three major pieces are priced for this special Christmas selling at **\$198.75**

A SPECIAL DISPLAY OF GIFT LAMPS



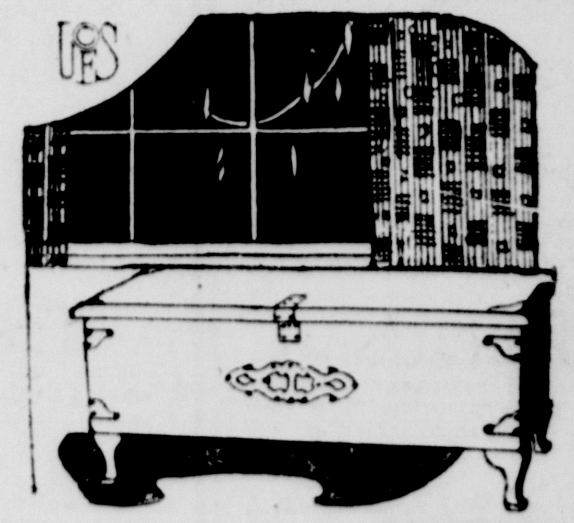
Glowing with Holiday Cheer

Among the many beautiful lamps in this wonderful assortment you will find something to please those remaining on your shopping list. Piano lamps, bridge lamps, reading lamps, in a wide range of designs. Bases in polychrome or old gold and black finishes. Shades are of silk. All priced very low.

Occasional Table for the Dining Room

This is one of the best of a splendid variety of occasional tables, so useful in perfecting the furnishings of the living room. In American walnut, and selling for **\$28.95**

Our low prices and easy terms will help you make this the merriest, happiest Christmas that you have ever known. Shop early.



The Hospitable Dining Room A Very Successful Arrangement

A tastefully designed suite of furniture that makes an extremely attractive dining room. The pieces are Tudor, executed in American walnut. A spacious table, 6 feet, a beautiful buffet and six chairs. The seats of the chair are tapestry. The suite is specially priced at **\$189.75**



Jewelry Gifts in Good Taste

The Spirit of the Holiday Season

The spirit of cheerful giving—that's the spirit that will accompany every gift bought from Effenberg's store. You will find this season, price an inducing factor in almost every purchase, with the same quality that is normal in our merchandise. Still, it will be well to suggest that while prices are lower and our stock most complete, for the thrifty shoppers to come in and inspect our stock and select their gifts.

Any article held on a small cash deposit for Christmas delivery.

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Milton Sills in 'The Sea Hawk' Is Week's Silver Screen Feature

Sabatini's 'The Sea Hawk' Is Vivid Romantic Drama

Best Seller Becomes One of Silver Screen's Big Productions, Featuring Stellar Cast

"The Sea Hawk," adapted from Rafael Sabatini's celebrated novel of the same title will be shown at the Peoples theatre this week.

"The Sea Hawk" for five years one of the best sellers on the popular fiction shelf, and dealing with the colorful adventures of English knights and sweethearts and Barbary corsairs, has required a gigantic background for its many vivid scenes.

Four large sea going vessels of the sixteenth century, exact in every detail and manned by over a thousand sailors, corsairs, galley slaves and officers, participate in much of the action.

tion, several naval battles, during which ships ram into each other head on, then lash themselves together, while their crews engage in hand to hand combat, are said to be but a few of the unique and highly exciting scenes of the production.

Having to do with the life of Sir Oliver Tressilian a Spanish prisoner at the oars of the galleon, his escape and final elevation to the command of a Moorish gallese and all of the basha's corsairs, "The Sea Hawk" reveals many bits of historical facts never visualized before, and there is said to be many thrills and heart throbs in the episodes depicting the struggle of the late English knight to convince his sweetheart of his innocence of the murder of her brother, and to regain his lost standing among his countrymen, and in the favor of Asad, ruler of Algiers.



Enid Bennett and Milton Sills, playing principal roles in "The Sea Hawk" at the Peoples this week.

AGNES AYRES PLAYS LEAD IN 'BLUFF'

As a little girl from a midwestern town who comes to New York and spends her last nickel for a flock of luring, vamping and daring gowns, and takes a suite at the Ritz-Carlton, Agnes Ayres as Betty Hallowell, is presented in "Bluff," the production which plays at the Pearce theatre Sunday through Tuesday.

Supporting Miss Ayres in the leading male role will be Antonio Moreno, who plays the part of Robert Fitzmaurice. Others in the cast include E. H. Calvert, Clarence Burton, Jack Gardner, Pauline Paquette and Roscoe Karns. All of the setting of the production is in New York City.

1000 SAILORS IN 'SEA HAWK' SHIPS

"The Sea Hawk" comes to the Peoples theatre Sunday to play through the week with Milton Sills and Enid Bennett in the leading roles.

Four sea going vessels of the sixteenth century, exact in every detail and manned by over 1,000 sailors, corsairs, galley slaves and officers, participate in much of the action, including naval battles, during which

the ships crash head on, and their crews fight hand to hand.

The cast also includes Lloyd Hughes, Lionel Belmore, who has recently supported Norma and Constantine Talmadge in their productions; Wallace Beery, Fred de Silva, and Miss. Meila Radzina. More than \$85,000 is reported to have been spent in costumes.

SPEEDWAY HERO PLAYS PART IN 'RACING FOR LIFE'

From the automobile races at a country fair to an international classic, Jack Grant, played by William Fairbanks, makes the grade in the production "Racing for Life," which comes to the Liberty theatre Wednesday and Thursday.

A real international hero of the

speedway, Ralph De Palma, plays a part in "Racing for Life," and others supporting Fairbanks in the cast are Jane Novak, Philo McCullough, Wilfred Lucas and Lydia Knott.

Others in the cast include Frankie Darro, Edwin Booth Tilson, Harley Moore and Ed Kennedy.

JACK PICKFORD RETURNS IN 'THE HILL BILLY'

Jack Pickford returns to "movie row" next Friday at the Pearce theatre when his production, "The Hill Billy," opens to run through Friday.

A rugged, yet dominant boy of the Kentucky hills is the role selected by Jack Pickford for his return to the screen. His part is that of a daring,

adventurous youth of the backwoods.

The part of Emmy Lou, the demure maid of the hills, who brings romance into the life of the boy, will be played by Lucile Rickson. She has the reputation of being the youngest leading lady in Hollywood.

PLAY WRITTEN BY MINISTER

House Peters Is Seen In Pastor's Movie

A former preacher for the author, an Englishman educated and traveled all over the world as the hero, and Grace Carlyle playing the leading female role combine in the production, "Held to Answer," which comes to the Cameo theatre Sunday through Tuesday.

GLORIA SWANSON WEARS 14 STUNNING GOWNS

Fourteen gowns comprise the clothes gathered by Gloria Swanson for her new production, "A Society Scandal," which opens at the Strand theatre Thursday to continue through Saturday.

The play is an adaptation from Alfred Sutro's stage success, "The Laughing Lady." This picture, following as it does "Zaza" and "The Humming Bird," is a direct contrast to the two in the matter of cloths.

Radio 'Widow' Asks For Big Alimony

HOUSTON, Nov. 29.—Because her husband became a radio fiend and appeared but twice in public with her in the past two years, Mrs. Irene L. Spear is suing him for divorce.

Dances, picture shows and other amusements were either foolish or indecent because they would take hubby away from his radio, Mrs. Spear charged in her petition. Alimony of \$150 a month is asked out of her husband's monthly stipend of \$250.

WIFE GOT LICENSE, YOUNG HUSBY SAYS

HOUSTON, Nov. 29.—He was just an inexperienced country boy, unused to the ways of the city, and she was a woman much older and more experienced in the ways of the world and country boys, alleges Ben Battaglia, in his divorce petition, a minor Bataglia charges his resourceful wife procured the marriage license in

No Flappers Among Texas U. Students

AUSTIN, Nov. 29.—There's not a flapper among all the coeds at the University of Texas.

At least that is the verdict of Miss Lucy Newton, dean of women at the university. Not even the typical bobbed hair specimen can be found and there is not a single one on the campus with unshorn locks, the dean says.

Position of United States Supreme, Mellon Declares

Financial Condition of Nation Is Sound and Outlook for the Future Is Indeed Favorable

BY ANDREW W. MELLON
Secretary of the Treasury

The conditions of the country today is sound.

We have paid the penalty for the inflation that accompanied and followed the war, and prices have now adjusted themselves more nearly in accordance with the immutable laws of supply and demand.

Economic conditions can not be changed overnight; but a government moving with intelligence and courage can give economic forces freedom and help the country to cure itself.

Tax Reform Needed

This present administration has done. As a result of the sound, and at the same time courageous, policy of retrenchment pursued by President Coolidge, we have emerged from the difficult period of post-war readjustment with our financial structure unimpaired and the foundation laid for the country's continued steady development.

An efficient budget system has been put into operation by the federal government; and in the last four years expenditures have been reduced nearly one-half. Taxes have been lowered, leaving in the pockets of the people increased amounts for investment and other purposes. Certain reforms must be introduced into the tax system before business and industry can be freed from the retarding influence of an unsound system of taxation, but this, I am confident, will be done.

Condition Is Good

During the last two years prices have been comparatively stable, thus removing the demoralizing effect which rapid changes in prices and values have on business. Agricultural prices have nearly completely recovered, if we apply the true test of their purchasing power in other commodities.

Abundant credit is available for all legitimate undertakings. The aggregate amount of the country's bank deposits is greater today than ever before in our history. At the same time, reserves are unusually high; frozen loans have been largely liquidated; and our banking structure was never in a stronger position than now or more able to support continued business and industrial expansion.

With the federal reserve system and the new credit instrumentalities provided during this administration, every legitimate credit need of agriculture, business and industry can be adequately supplied at reasonable rates of interest. There is not, and

She's Collared!



Flo Kennedy, working perhaps on the theory of "love me, love my dog," has adopted a bow-wow collar. There's no limit to the ornamental possibilities of these chokers.

need not at any time be, a shortage of either credit or currency to support expanding business and trade.

Position Unsurpassed

The inauguration of the Dawes plan for reparation payments is the beginning of the solution of the economic problems of Europe, and will undoubtedly result in a growing market for American products and a stimulus to our own industry. With the full recovery of Germany and other European countries, there may possibly come a keener competition in some lines, which may necessitate some gradual readjustments here. But the general effect of a more prosperous world can only mean the broadening of our own markets and a greater economic development in this country.

We, in the United States, are in a most favorable condition today. There is everywhere a note of optimism for the future, induced by a belief in the strength of our government and in the ability of President Coolidge to steer a sound and constructive course. Our position, at

home and abroad, is unsurpassed.

We have good wages, ample employment, better agriculture, sound credit and great natural resources, all of which justify the greatest confidence in our future progress and prosperity.

WILDS GOES WILD AGAIN

This Time He Tries to Buy Telegraph Office

HOUSTON, Nov. 29.—A. J. Wilds, 82, holder of the record for being arrested the greatest number of times in the shortest period—30 times arrested in 60 days—found his way to the city's steel decorated home on his last venture a few days ago.

Wilds is usually arrested just after he has tried to purchase a street car, Buffalo Bayou or some other such valuable object. On the last occasion Wilds attempted to purchase a local telegraph company because he could not get satisfaction on a message to his daughter.

Sometime ago he bought a barber shop because he didn't like the way the barber shaved him. He sold the shop later at a loss of \$1,000.

Still later he attempted to buy a street car because the operator could not change a large bill for him. The old man is said to have property valued at \$100,000 in Houston. He employs a lawyer by the year to keep him out of jail.

With but few variations the police "bribe" shows a charge of "drunkness" against every entry of his name.

STRAND
Here She Is
See Her Now

ANNA CHRISTIE

PEARCE
Today Thru
Tues., Dec. 2
AGNES
AYRES
ANTONIO
MORENO
—IN—
"BLUFF"

HER HUSBY COMES BACK

After Wife Wins Fortune In 'Virtuous Liars'

A society drama with intense dramatic interest and many gorgeous settings is the line-up announced for the production, "Virtuous Liars," which comes to the Cameo theatre Wednesday through Saturday with David Powell, Edith Allen and Maurice Costello.

The story is of a young woman whose husband deserted her and their small child, leaving the mother to earn her living as an artist. She struggles against odds until one of her paintings wins a prize and gains her a wealthy art patron.

But then the husband, in South America, hears of the wife's good fortune and completes situations by appearing to share it with her. In the cast is Dagmar Godowsky, the daughter of the famous pianist, Leopold Godowsky.

"The SEA HAWK"

To Our Patrons:

Each year brings to the screen one or two great motion pictures that because of their magnificence, their wonderful human appeal, their spectacular splendor, stand out as gigantic and notable successes.

Frank Lloyd has produced just such a success in "The Sea Hawk."

PEOPLES

One Week Starting
Sunday, Nov. 30

Special Organ Music

Walter Welsehoff Back

ADMISSION
Children 20c
ADULTS—Balcony 40c; Lower Floor 50c.

Come and See—
MILTON SILLS

as the Sheik of the Seas, supported by Enid Bennett, Lloyd Hughes, Wallace Beery and a cast of 3,000 players in the greatest artistic and dramatic success of 1924.

"I will protect you against all the world."

A First National Picture

MOVIE CALENDAR

PEOPLES
All Week—Milton Sills, Enid Bennett and Wallace Beery in "The Sea Hawk."

STRAND
Sunday through Wednesday—Blanche Sweet and Wm. Russell in "Anna Christie."
Thursday through Saturday—Gloria Swanson and Rod LaRoque in "Society Scandal."

PEARCE
Sunday through Tuesday—Agnes Ayres and Antonio Moreno in "Bluff."
Wednesday and Thursday—Closed, not running.
Friday and Saturday—Jack Pickford in "The Hill Billy."

GREEN TREE
Sunday—Mary Pickford in "Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall."
Monday—Tom Mix in "Fala in Blue," and Wm. Duncan serial.
Tuesday—Dorothy Mackall and Geo. O'Brien in "Painted Lady."
Wednesday—Ree Beach story, "Iron Trail," and Daniel Boone, No. 13.
Thursday—Agnes Ayres and Antonio Moreno in "Bluff."
Friday—Western feature, "Paying the Limit."
Saturday—Blanche Sweet and Wm. Russell in "Anna Christie."

CAMEO
Sunday through Wednesday—"Held to Answer," Metro; The Goofy Age, Topics; "Go Getters."
Wednesday through Saturday—"Virtuous Liars," Vitaphone; "Lost Dog," comedy.

LIBERTY
Sunday and Monday—"The Hellion," "Andy's Hat in the Ring," comedy; New.
Wednesday and Thursday—"Racing for Life," Double X comedy "Rooms and Rooms."
Friday and Saturday—"Trigger Fingers," "Wolves of the North," "Shiek of Hollywood."
Saturday—"Ratling Billy," "Choose Your Weapons," comedy; News.

English once believed that round mirrors carried on hunting expeditions would save the hunter from death by pursuing beasts.

ROMANCE OF
BILLIE BURKE

Broadway Star Met Her Fate
At Dance

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—A red-head in a pink ruffled dress captivated the world famous connoisseur of feminine beauty and their happy marriage is one of Broadway's most cherished romances—a romance the bright lights can't dim.

Flo Ziegfeld met Billie Burke at a dance—on Broadway.

"And we fell for each other like two freshmen attending their first prom," Miss Burke laughed. "As I came in Flo whispered to the man who was calling out the figures of the Paul Jones: 'See that I get the red-head in pink.'"

"I treasure that pink, ruffled frock that I wore that evening above anything else in my wardrobe. I wear it yet at home festivities. After ten years of marriage, I still maintain Flo Ziegfeld is the most wonderful man I ever met."

When Ziegfeld triumphantly led the lovely Billie afterward, Broadway was frankly cynical. That wasn't last, the wise ones said.

Billie Was Popular

For Miss Burke was undoubtedly the most popular and sought-after actress in America and a pet of London as well. The eligible of two continents had sought her favor in vain.

And Flo Ziegfeld had already started on his career of glorifying the American girl. His ability to pick beauties had been acknowledged. But was that particular gift an ideal accomplishment for a husband?

Billie Burke has added to her prestige as an actress and beauty by being a devoted wife and intelligent mother, a famous hostess and housekeeper and an all-around woman. And Flo Ziegfeld shines as a father and a husband as well as a theatrical producer.

Flo Likes Secrets

"Of course, Flo has his faults," his wife admits. "He eats too many secrets, and he won't cut down on them."

"He buys the most unexpected and unhandy sort of presents for Patricia and me. Elephants, coats, alligators, and all species of live stock come in with his card attached when he's away. Only last week he got two buffaloes for us."

"Personally, I don't believe the zoo's place is in the home, but there's nothing to be done."

"Patricia, our daughter, is our first idol. The theater is our second. Then we both love our home and traveling. My husband encourages my career. I am under his management professionally and I consider him the best manager in the country as well as the best husband."

RED FLAGS WORRY

FRENCH STATESMEN

PARIS, Nov. 29.—Strict regulations against the waving of the red flag and the singing of the "Internationale" in this country will have to be modified now that France has recognized Soviet Russia. Diplomatic circles face a delicate problem.

If the Union of Soviet Socialist republics, theoretically a union of the proletariat of all nations, can have such a bourgeois luxury as a national anthem, it must be the "Internationale," which by law cannot be played here.

SEEK METHOD FOR

HUBBY AND CAREER

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—The first practical, serious and intensive study of the actual experiences of a selected number of women who have husbands, homes and children and are carrying on professional work, will be undertaken by the bureau of vocational information, a national educational and research organization, established to study the opportunities for training and for professional employment for the benefit of women of the country, according to an announcement made public today by Miss Emma P. Hirth, director.

LAKE CHARLES.—Prizing open

one of the shoe windows of the Joe

Jacobs clothing store here, burglars

got away with shoes, socks, and belts.

A similar robbery occurred in the

Ryan store several nights ago.

LAKE CHARLES.—United States

government engineers from New

Orleans made a trip down the Lake

Charles deep water ship canal, ac-

companied by H. G. Chalkey, presi-

dent of the police jury, and several

members of the jury. The party went

aboard the launch Tramp.

LAKE CHARLES.—Appointment

of Mark Le Bleu as special agent of

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South Louisiana parishes, has been

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Sabatini's 'The Sea Hawk' Is Vivid Romantic Drama

Best Seller Becomes One of Silver Screen's Big Productions, Featuring Stellar Cast

"The Sea Hawk," adapted from Rafael Sabatini's celebrated novel of the same title will be shown at the Peoples theater this week. "The Sea Hawk" for five years one of the best sellers on the popular fiction shelf, and dealing with the colorful adventures of English knights and sweethearts and Barbary corsairs, has required a gigantic background for its many vivid scenes.

AGNES AYRES PLAYS LEAD IN 'BLUFF'

As a little girl from a midwestern town who comes to New York and spends her last nickel for a flock of luring, vamping and daring gowns, and takes a suite at the Ritz-Carlton, Agnes Ayres as Betty Hallowell, is presented in "Bluff," the production which plays at the Peoples theater Sunday through Tuesday.

1000 SAILORS IN 'SEA HAWK' SHIPS

"The Sea Hawk" comes to the Peoples theater Sunday to play through out the week with Milton Sills and Enid Bennett in the leading roles. Four sea going vessels of the sixteenth century, exact in every detail and manned by over 1,000 sailors, corsairs, galley slaves and officers, participate in much of the action, including naval battles, during which the ships crash head on, and their crews fight hand to hand.

SPEEDWAY HERO PLAYS PART IN 'RACING FOR LIFE'

From the automobile races at a country fair to an international classic, Jack Grant, played by William Fairbanks, makes the grade in the production "Racing for Life," which comes to the Liberty theater Wednesday and Thursday.

JACK PICKFORD RETURNS IN 'THE HILL BILLY'

Jack Pickford returns to "movie row" next Friday at the Peoples theater when his production, "The Hill Billy," opens to run through Friday. A rugged, yet dominant boy of the Kentucky hills is the role selected by Jack Pickford for his return to the screen. His part is that of a daring,

adventurous youth of the backwoods. The part of Emma Lou, the demure maid of the hills, who brings romance into the life of the boy, will be played by Lucile Kicken. She has the reputation of being the youngest leading lady in Hollywood.

Having to do with the life of Sir Oliver Tressilian as a Spanish prisoner at the oars of the galloon, his escape and final elevation to the command of a Moorish galasse and all of the basha's corsairs, "The Sea Hawk" reveals many bits of historical facts never visualized before, and there is said to be many thrills and heart throbs in the episodes depicting the struggle of the late English knight to convince his sweetheart of his innocence of the murder of her brother, and to regain his lost standing among his countrymen, and in the favor of Asad, ruler of Algiers.

Supporting Miss Ayres in the leading male role will be Antonio Moreno, who plays the part of Robert Fitzmaurice. Others in the cast include E. H. Culbert, Clarence Burton, Jack Gardner, Pauline Paquette and Roscoe Karns. All of the setting of the production is in New York City.

The cast also includes Lloyd Hughes, Lionel Belmore, who has recently supported Norma and Constance Talmadge in their productions; Wallace Beery, Fred de Silva, and Mimi Meriand. More than \$5,000 is reported to have been spent in costumes.

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PLAY WRITTEN BY MINISTER

House Peters Is Seen in Pastor's Movie

A former preacher for the author, an Englishman educated and traveled all over the world as the hero, and Grace Carlyle playing the leading feminine role combine in the production, "Held to Answer," which comes to the Cameo theater Sunday through Tuesday.

Peter Clark MacFarlane is the author and House Peters the hero. To House Peters, the slicked up moving picture is "a real moral danger," and he defends the "the-man" types of movie players, according to a recent interview.

'Blossom Time' Comes Here in December

"Blossom Time," that world famous musical romance based on the life of the celebrated composer, Franz Schubert, with Schubert's own music, is to be presented at the Elks theatre Dec. 28th with the self-same talented cast which has been touring the country in this beautiful overture for the past three seasons. This is now the fourth season for "Blossom Time" on tour and yet there seems to be no lack of welcome for it on the part of theatregoers who have in many instances already heard it sung.

GLORIA SWANSON WEARS 14 STUNNING GOWNS

Fourteen gowns comprise the wardrobe for Gloria Swanson in "The Humming Bird," and for her new production, "A Society Scandal," which opens at the Strand theater Thursday to continue through Saturday. The play is an adaptation from Alfred Sutro's stage success, "The Laughing Lady." This picture, following as it does "Zaza" and "The Humming Bird," is a direct contrast to the two in the matter of cloths.

Radio 'Widow' Asks For Big Alimony

HOUSTON, Nov. 29.—Because her husband became a radio fiend and appeared but twice in public with her in the past two years, Mrs. Irene L. Spear is suing him for divorce. Dances, picture shows and other amusements were either foolish or hubby away from his radio, Mrs. Spear charged in her petition. Alimony of \$150 a month is asked out of her husband's monthly stipend of \$250.

WIFE GOT LICENSE. YOUNG HUSBY SAYS

HOUSTON, Nov. 29.—It was just an inexperienced country boy, unused to the ways of the city, and she was a woman much older and more experienced in the ways of the world and country boys, alleged Ben Battaglia, in his divorce petition, a minor, Battaglia charges his disrespectful wife procured the marriage license in

Position of United States Supreme, Mellon Declares

Financial Condition of Nation Is Sound and Outlook for the Future Is Indeed Favorable

Condition Is Good

During the last two years prices have been comparatively stable, thus removing the demoralizing effect which rapid changes in prices and values have on business. Agricultural prices have nearly completely recovered, if we apply the true test of their purchasing power in other commodities.

No Flappers Among Texas U. Students

AUSTIN, Nov. 29.—There's not a flapper among all the coeds at the University of Texas. At least that is the verdict of Miss Lucy Newton, dean of women at the university. Not even the typical bobbed hair specimen can be found and there is not a single one on the campus with unshorn locks, the dean says.

She's Collared!



Fla Kennedy, working perhaps on the theory of "love me, love my dog," has adopted a boy-wow collar. There's no limit to the ornamental possibilities of these chokers.

Position Unsurpassed

The inauguration of the Dawes plan for reparation payments is the beginning of the solution of the economic problems of Europe, and will undoubtedly result in a growing market for American products and a stimulus to our own industry. With the full recovery of Germany and other European countries, there may possibly come a keener competition in some lines which may necessitate some gradual readjustments here. But the general effect of a more prosperous world can only mean the broadening of our own markets and a greater economic development in this country.

Condition Is Good

We, in the United States, are in a most favorable condition today. There is everywhere a note of optimism for the future, induced by a belief in the strength of our government and in the ability of President Coolidge to steer a sound and constructive course. Our position, at

WILDS GOES WILD AGAIN

This Time He Tries to Buy Telegraph Office

HOUSTON, Nov. 29.—A. J. Wilds, 82, holder of the record for being arrested the greatest number of times in the shortest period—20 times arrested in 60 days—found his way to the city's steel decorated home on his last venture a few days ago.

Wilds is usually arrested just after he has tried to purchase a street car, Buffalo Bayou or some other such valuable object. On the last occasion Wilds attempted to purchase a local telegraph company because he could not get satisfaction on a message to his daughter.

Sometime ago he bought a barber shop because he didn't like the way the barber shaved him. He sold the shop later at a loss of \$1,000.

Still later he attempted to buy a street car because the operator could not change a large bill for him. The old man is said to have property valued at \$100,000 in Houston. He employs a lawyer by the year to keep him out of jail.

With but few variations the police "blotter" shows a charge of "drunkenness" against every entry of his name.

STRAND
Here She Is See Her Now
ANNA CHRISTIE
PEARCE
Today Thru Tues., Dec. 2
AGNES AYRES ANTONIO MORENO
-IN- "BLUFF"

HER HUBBY COMES BACK

After Wife Wins Fortune In 'Virtuous Liars'

A society drama with intense dramatic interest and many gorgeous settings is the line-up announced for the production, "Virtuous Liars," which comes to the Cameo theater Wednesday through Saturday with David Powell, Edith Allen and Maurice Costello.

The story is of a young woman whose husband deserted her and their small child, leaving the mother to earn her living as an artist. She struggles against odds until one of her paintings wins a prize and gains her a wealthy art patron. But then the husband, in South America, hears of the wife's good fortune and complicates situations by appearing to share it with her. In the cast is Dagmar Godowsky, the daughter of the famous pianist, Leopold Godowsky.

MOVIE CALENDAR

PEOPLES
All Week—Milton Sills, Enid Bennett and Wallace Beery in "The Sea Hawk."
STRAND
Sunday through Wednesday—Blanche Sweet and Wm. Russell in "Anna Christie."
Thursday through Saturday—Gloria Swanson and Rod LaRogue in "Society Scandal."
PEARCE
Sunday through Tuesday—Agnes Ayres and Antonio Moreno in "Bluff."
Wednesday and Thursday—Closed, not running.
Friday and Saturday—Jack Pickford in "The Hill Billy."
GREEN TREE
Sunday—Marilyn Miller in "Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall."
Monday—Tom Mix in "Pale Blue."
Tuesday—Dorothy Mackall and Geo. O'Brien in "Painted Lady."
Wednesday—Red Beach story, "Iron Trail."
Thursday—Agnes Ayres and Antonio Moreno in "Bluff."
Friday—Western feature, "Paying the Debt."
Saturday—Blanche Sweet and Wm. Russell in "Anna Christie."
CAMEO
Sunday through Tuesday—"Held to Answer," Metro; "The Goofy Age," Topics; "Go Getters."
Wednesday through Saturday—"Virtuous Liars," Vitaphone; "Lost Dog," comedy.
LIBERTY
Sunday and Monday—"The Hellion," "Andy's Hat in the Ring," comedy.
Tuesday and Wednesday—"Racing for Life," Double X comedy; "Rooms and Rooms."
Thursday and Friday—"Trigger Fingers," "Wolves of the North," "Sheik of Hollywood."
Saturday—"Battling Bill," "Choose Your Weapons," comedy; News.
English once believed that round mirrors carried on hunting expeditions would save the hunter from death by pursuing beasts.

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Because of the performance of Milton Sills and an exceptional supporting cast—
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ROMANCE OF BILLIE BURKE

Broadway Star Met Her Fate At Dance

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—A red head in a pink ruffled dress captivated the world famous connoisseur of feminine beauty and their happy marriage is one of Broadway's most cherished romances—a romance the bright lights can't dim.

Flo Ziegfeld met Billie Burke at a dance on Broadway.

"And we fell for each other like two freshmen attending their first prom," Miss Burke laughed. "As I came in Flo whispered to the man who was calling out the figures of the Paul Jones: 'See that I get the red-head in pink.'"

"I treasure that pink, ruffled frock that I wore that evening above anything else in my wardrobe. I wear it yet at home festivities. After ten years of marriage, I still maintain Flo Ziegfeld is the most wonderful man I ever met."

When Ziegfeld triumphantly led the lovely Billie afterward, Broadway was frankly cynical. That won't last, the wise ones said.

Billie Was Popular

For Miss Burke was undoubtedly the most popular and sought-after actress in America and a net of London as well. The eligible of two continents had sought her favor in vain.

And Flo Ziegfeld had already started on his career of glorifying the American girl. His ability to pick beauties had been acknowledged. But was that particular gift an ideal accomplishment for a husband?

Billie Burke has added to her prestige as an actress and beauty by being a devoted wife and intelligent mother, a famous hostess and housekeeper and an all-round woman. And Flo Ziegfeld shines as a father and a husband as well as a theatrical producer.

Flo Likes Sweets

"Of course, Flo has his faults," she wife admits. "He eats too many sweets, and he won't cut down on them."

"He buys the most unexpected and unhandy sort of presents for Patricia and me. Elephants, goats, alligators, and all species of live stock come in with his card attached when he's away. Only last week he got two buffaloes for us."

"Personally, I don't believe the zoo's place is in the home, but there's nothing to be done."

"Patricia, our daughter, is our first idol. The theater is our second. Then we both love our home and traveling. My husband encourages my career. I am under his management professionally and I consider him the best manager in the country as well as the best husband."

RED FLAGS WORRY FRENCH STATESMEN

PARIS, Nov. 29.—Strict regulations against the wearing of the red flag and the singing of the "Internationale" in this country will have to be modified now that France has recognized Soviet Russia. Diplomatic circles face a delicate problem.

If the Union of Soviet Socialist republics, theoretically a union of the proletariat of all nations, can have such a bourgeois luxury as a national anthem, it may be the "Internationale," which by law cannot be played here.

SEEK METHOD FOR HUBBY AND CAREER

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—The first practical, serious and intensive study of the actual experience of a selected number of women who have husbands, homes and children and are carrying on professional work, will be undertaken by the bureau of vocational information, a national educational and research organization, established to study the opportunities for training and for professional employment for the benefit of women of the country, according to an announcement made public today by Miss Emma P. Heath, director.

Red Head Stole His Heart and Kept It



Latest News From Louisiana Towns

SHREVEPORT.—Fierce forest fires have broken out in the section surrounding Gibsland and are being fanned by high winds which continued all this week. Much damage is reported.

NEW ORLEANS.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt, defeated candidate for governor of New York, and former assistant secretary of the navy, arrived here today and will be the guest of ex-Governor John M. Parker on a hunting trip in Southern Louisiana.

SHREVEPORT.—Maudey Ellington, student in Centenary college, was severely burned and knocked unconscious when a massage machine in a barber shop here short-circuited while the barber was working on him.

LAFAYETTE.—Date for opening bids on hauling gravel for the Lafayette-Abbeville road has been set for Dec. 1 by the parish police jury, according to Secretary George Crouchet. A special meeting of the police jury was called for this purpose.

LAFAYETTE.—Final adoption of the ordinance providing for the establishment and operation of a gas plant in this city has been made by the city board of trustees. P. O. Mass and others are interested in the project to establish a gas plant here.

LAFAYETTE.—Adj. Gen. L. A. Toombs, of this state, visited in Lafayette this week in connection with work of the State Confederate veterans pension board. He also inspected the national guard units in this city.

LAKE CHARLES.—Prizing open

DAWES PLAN AGAIN ISSUE

Plays Part In Election In Germany

BERLIN, Nov. 29.—After having had sufficient time to judge the Dawes plan by its first results, the German people Dec. 7 will decide at the polls whether they want to continue the reformed "fulfillment policy," involving hard work but assuring peace, or whether they will follow the nationalistic slogan promising "liberation from the foreign yoke and restoration of the glorious pre-war empire."

The May reichstag elections were held under confusing circumstances, although the Dawes plan was also the issue then. At that time France was still under the leadership of Poincare and nobody in Germany suspected the strength of the moderate tide in France which eventually brought Herriot into power.

The Volksparty, of which Stresemann is the head, and which chiefly represents the industrialists—who now definitely have made up their mind that the way to the country's salvation lies in observance of the Dawes plan, is likely to draw from the Nationalists such elements as favor the plan.

39 COUNTIES STILL TO FILE VOTE COUNT

AUSTIN, Nov. 29.—A total of 213 counties have filed election returns with the secretary of state, leaving 39 counties yet to send in returns before Dec. 15, when the state canvassing board meets to canvass the returns of the November general election.

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New Records Of Week

Again come two reminders that Caruso's voice lives eternally. This week two of his few Spanish selections have been issued—"La Partida" (The Departure) and "Flores Purisimas" (These Flowers So Pure). The former is a brilliant number with full orchestra, the other a dreamy, mystical melody from an old opera.

Mme. Olga Samaroff once more displays her superb artistry on two records showing two radically differing moods of Schumann. "Soaring" (Aufschwung) and "Romance" require such dynamic power, technical dexterity and the loving legato touch that are Samaroff's in a superlative degree.

From Rodolf Friml's melodious "Rose-Marie" Olive Kline sings a soprano solo of high and intense beauty. "Indian Love Call," with its long phrases, its soaring high notes and its flowing melody, is particularly adapted to Miss Kline's smooth soprano. Lambert Murphy sings the title number, "Rose-Marie," a tenor number gracious and graceful in its dance rhythm, a very definite fox-trot cadence.

Homer E. Rodheaver sings two characteristically American gospel

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TEACHERS PLAN COURT BATTLE

Eight Fight Cancellation of Certificates

AUSTIN, Nov. 29.—Conferring in Austin today counsel agreed that litigation over certificates of eight teachers in Hopkins county public schools be set for trial at Greenville, Dec. 13. Agreement was made by Assistant Attorney General Frank M. Kemp, representing state superintendent of public instruction S. M. N. Marrs and L. W. Davidson, Sul-

phur Springs, attorney for teachers. The teachers were recently granted temporary injunctions restraining Marrs from enforcing orders cancelling their certificates on alleged grounds that they obtained in irregular manner. The cases are expected to go through the supreme court.

SULPHUR SPRINGS MAN IS APPOINTED JUDGE

AUSTIN, Nov. 29.—Gov. Neff has appointed J. M. Melson, Sulphur Springs, judge of eighth district to fill vacancy caused by death of Judge G. B. Hall, Greenville. Melson was a member of the legislature several terms and a candidate for nomination of attorney general in the democratic primaries last July, but did not get into the run-off.

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HOW TO MAIL XMAS PARCELS

Postoffice Gives Rules to Aid Santa

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—"Pack well and mail early" is the advice of the post office department to all who want their Christmas presents and

CHRISTMAS MAIL
WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—If you want your Christmas mail to reach its destination in time mail it on the following dates, the post office department suggests:
Gifts and cards addressed to points within one day's travel not later than Dec. 29.
Addressed to points within 2 days travel not later than Dec. 18. Within 3 days' travel not later than Dec. 16.
For more distant points not later than Dec. 14.
For local delivery not later than Dec. 22.

greetings delivered in time and in good order.

Year by year the Christmas mail rush reaches its peak so late that in spite of every effort on the part of the postal service, it can not all be delivered by Christmas day. The post office department here has made public instructions which it followed by the majority of those who use the mails, would put the Christmas mail distribution upon an efficient plane.

Limit on Size
The first and last of the department's instructions is to mail early. Put "Don't open until Christmas" signs on packages if desired, but mail them early. Other admonitions to those who want their Christmas mail delivered before Christmas are:

1. Wrap parcels securely with heavy paper and strong twine. Christmas parcels get into veritable mountains of mail and should be prepared to undergo the ordeal.

2. Fragile articles should be marked FRAGILE and surrounded with heavy cardboard.

3. Mark address and return address plainly.

4. Be sure the postage is fully prepaid.

5. No parcel may be more than 84 inches in length and girth combined. For delivery locally and in 1st and 2nd zones 70 pounds is the maximum weight; beyond that 50 pounds.

San on Notes
6. All Christmas cards and parcels should be mailed from 5 days to two weeks earlier than mail would take to reach the same destination under ordinary conditions. For example, gifts addressed to points within one day's travel should be mailed not later than Dec. 29.

7. The early mailing of Christmas cards is just as important as early mailing of anything else.

8. Christmas stickers of any description must not be placed on the address side of mail matter.

9. Written matter of any sort must not be included in parcels. If you want to write a note to accompany a parcel put it in a stamped envelope attached to the parcel.

10. Special delivery postage will hasten delivery, but it does not mean the parcel is registered or insured.

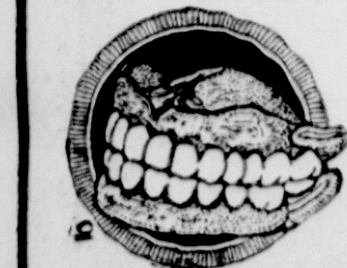
Will Turn Farmer To Prove He's No Liar

MIDLAND, Nov. 29.—Down here in Midland a secretary of a chamber of commerce is going to turn farmer just to prove he isn't a liar.

When Paul T. Vickers, secretary of the local chamber, took some long guard-like specimens to the Dallas State fair and told visitors at his booth that "these vegetable beans would grow out again, when only enough for a meal was cut off," they didn't call him the naughty word, but they looked as if they thought he was furnishing a little extra West Texas wind.

Vickers swears that several farmers told him about this freakish vegetable and its freakish reproducing ways and declared that he is going to grow them in quantity just to show all comers that they are the real article and so that he may be able to get on a legitimate "buff" when people doubt his word at the fair next year.

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MAP OF THE COURSE TAKEN BY THE TRENTON, WITH CROSS SHOWING PROBABLE LOCATION OF THE LIEV ERIKSSON WHEN LOST EARLY IN SEPTEMBER. UPPER RIGHT, THE STORMY SEA AFTERN FROM THE TRENTON'S CROWN'S-NEST; UPPER LEFT, A LOOKOUT SCANNING THE HORIZON FOR THE LOST BOAT; CIRCLE INSET, ACKERMAN, NEA SERVICE PHOTOGRAPHER, IN ARCTIC HOOD WORN ON TRIP.

Picture of Black Horror In Which Explorer is Last

Cruiser Trenton Fails to Attempt to Locate The Liev Eriksson and His Daring Skipper

EDITOR'S NOTE: M. J. Ackerman of NEA Service and the Port Arthur News was the only photographer to accompany the expedition of the cruiser Trenton in its vain attempt to find the Liev Eriksson and his crew. Here is an exclusive story of the great hardships faced by the occupants of the last sailing boat.

By M. J. ACKERMAN
NEW YORK, Nov. 27.—Picture a tossing infinity of fright black water beneath a sombre sky-dome filled with snow, sleet, rain and moaning wind gusts.

This is the North Atlantic in November, where the 42-foot Liev Eriksson is lost.

Into this overpowering, fearsome, fascinating scene, I went on the cruiser Trenton on its 11-day search for the little sailboat and its crew of adventurers.

To the experienced officers and men of the Trenton the trip was simply an item in their job, a cruise into whatever the storm gods might send, an occasion for using their seamanship and clearness of sight.

The Trenton sailed from New York toward the banks of Newfoundland, took up the search there into the middle of the ocean, circled southward to check up the report of a derelict, crossed the 4,000 blue river of the Gulf stream and returned empty-handed.

The Liev Eriksson, bearing W. W. Nutting and his party, had sailed from Greenland early in September.

FRANCE SEEKS EXILE'S HELP

Caillaux Recalled to Aid In Finances

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—The French budget for the present year will show a deficit of about 200 million dollars, which for the most part will not be met by increased taxation but by the issuance of a loan, thus piling up France's debt against herself still higher. But, almost simultaneously with the admission that France's financial structure has not yet been made secure, it has been announced that Joseph Caillaux, the most brilliant financier in France, has been recalled from exile.

Gets His Chance.
Caillaux attempted to shorten the war by a compromise with Germany, and was banished as a "defeatist." But, the welcome in Paris is a sign that France now realizes if the war could have been stopped by a general compromise, France and the rest of the world would be better off today. Caillaux is to be given his chance again, Clemenceau is too old, and the other veteran statesmen of the war have tried and failed to restore France's financial equilibrium.

Caillaux has the technical ability to accomplish the miracle. Whether he has the strength of purpose and whether he can reorganize a sufficiently strong political following to give him the necessary parliamentary support are more doubtful elements in the equation.

His Big Problem.
The problem of French finance which faces him is monumental. The forthcoming budget for next year will probably total about \$1,650,000,000. Of this amount, more than one half, or \$800,000,000 must go to take care of the public debt, and nearly one-fifth, or \$300,000,000, will have to be used for the army. This leaves \$450,000,000 for all governmental costs and the non-permanent reparation expenses. That is to say, on the return of Caillaux from exile, the French government is spending 75 cents out of every dollar it collects from the people in paying interest and military charges.

MAYOR 'BLACK JACKED' INTO GIVING HOLIDAY

DALLAS, Nov. 29.—Mayor Louis H. Raylock, 35-year-old, director of Dallas' city government, warns against precedent.

It all came about when the mayor claimed he was "black-jacked" into giving the city hall "gang" a holiday Turkey day. The mayor declared the official holiday, but defied himself to unfortunate newspapermen.

"It always has been the custom, so what could I do," they stammered me into doing it, but I wish to go on record, however, that I didn't like it."

The mayor said his plans for the day called for routine work.

'SOFT' DRINK FURNISHES HIM HARD LUCK STORY

DALLAS, Nov. 29.—Invited by a friend to take a drink in a soft-drink stand, he woke up in the city jail. This was the story of a bed-fellied individual related to police court Judge P. D. Crawford here. "It tasted a little like a soft drink, but that's about all I remember," he related.

Sabine Pass News

A program was given Monday morning by the first grade room as follows: Song by first grade; solo by Miss Pauline Morris; song by first grade; recitation by Holmes Adamson; recitation by Una Mae Miller; recitation by J. Loftin; talk by J. N. Nations.

Miss Tash and Brad Johnson motored to Beaumont Thursday to spend Thanksgiving day with their sister, Mrs. C. Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. George Townsend and family, Carrie, Lou and Morris Townsend of Nederland spent Thanksgiving in the home of Mrs. W. A. Sawyer here.

R. Burdfield of Port Arthur spent Thanksgiving in the home of W. A. Vaughn.

The Mabel Epworth league met Sunday night with a large attendance and was led by Carlton Adamson.

The Woman's Missionary society met Monday evening with a social service lesson.

A play was given Thursday night, "The Old Village School," by the Epworth league with the following characters: L. O. Olson, schoolmaster; Carlton Adamson, Pa. Honeyuckle; Neah Burch, Ma Honeyuckle; Byron and Cora Lee Johnson, the Honeyuckle twins (Sarah and Elizabeth); Brad Johnson, Mica Flint; Charles Krebs, Timothy Truck; Katherine Johnson, The Giggler; Tash Johnson, Cry Baby; Ambrose Gillette, Sam; Alar; William Martens, John Bull; Frances Vaughn, Polly Honeyuckle; Henry Martens, John Peter St. Johns; Eliza Adamson, Hannah Marie Honeyuckle; William Pleasant, Grover Cleveland; Eva Mae Reeder, Anne Plunket; Lillian Davis, Prudence; Bessie Mae Welch, Patience; O. D. Adamson, Pat the stuttering Irish boy; Miss Norris, Lily Green; Ed Welch, her bear. Refreshments were sold after the play, games were played and there was a bazaar.

U. S. HAS ONE FONE FOR EVERY 8 PERSONS

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—The United States is the only country in the world which has one telephone to every eight persons, according to the Pennsylvania Public Utilities Information Bureau.

ONE PIANO TO EVERY 321 PERSONS IN U. S.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—One piano for every 321 persons in the United States is the present yearly rate of piano production in this country, according to A. G. Gulbransen, piano manufacturer.

POSTAL 'ACE' GETS 25 YEARS

Convicted of Plotting Two Million Robbery

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—William J. Fahy, "ace of postal inspectors" today was sentenced to serve 25 years in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga., by Judge Adam C. Cliffe, in federal court here for plotting the \$2,000,000 robbery of a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad mail train at Roundout, Ill., June 12.

James Murray, Chicago politician, was given a similar sentence. The pair was convicted by a jury Tuesday on testimony of the robbers and Fahy's associate inspectors.

The highest station on any standard-gauge railway in the world is Tielto, west of the boundary line between Brazil and Peru, at an elevation of 15,935 feet.

Democrats Not to Punish Its Deserter

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Senate democrats have no intention of following the lead of the republicans and punishing those who deserted the party to support Senator La Follette, their leaders indicated today.

Senator Burton K. Wheeler, who ran with La Follette on the independent ticket, will be restored to the party ranks in good standing as will other democrats who abandoned John W. Davis to support the Wisconsin senator.

TRIES GET DRINK BUT GETS FISH INSTEAD

SAN BENITO, Nov. 29.—Now up rises Pablo Conoscenti with the latest story on fish.

Pablo, laborer on a farm near here, lay down by a small stream to get a drink. As he scooped the water up in his hands a large gar attached himself to his fingers, lacerating them badly. The story was told after Pablo came to town to get his hands dressed.

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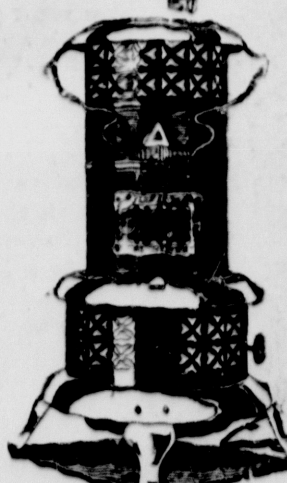
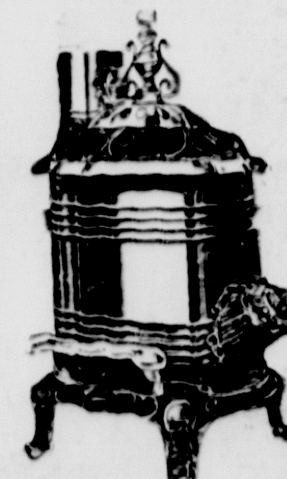
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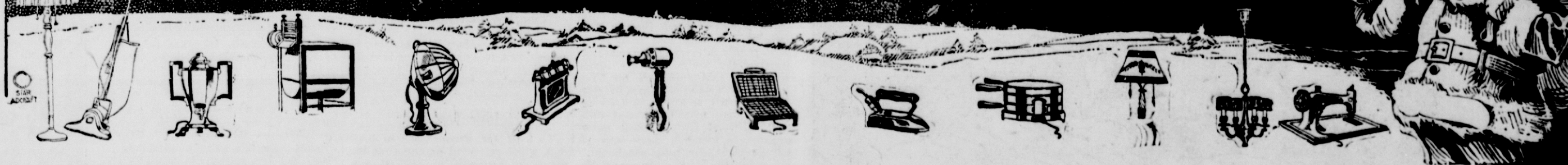
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GIVE SOMETHING ELECTRICAL



Spending money on Christmas tinsel and trumpery is a waste. Gifts which are appreciated are those which render service—service long after the novelty of some worthless toy or bauble has worn off.

Give something useful, something that will be of every-day practical value, that will make the recipient of your gift remember you every day for your

thoughtfulness, consideration and regard.

"Give something Electrical" is the wisest thing you can bear in mind this Christmas. Choose your gifts from those things which will give both pleasure and benefit. There is an "electrical gift" for every member of your family and every one of your friends. Let us show you the many different serviceable gifts.



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For making the best of coffee. A variety of designs in aluminum, nickel, silver and china.

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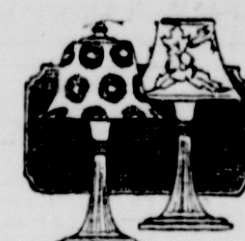
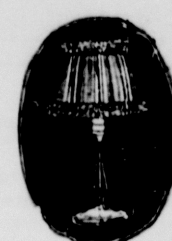


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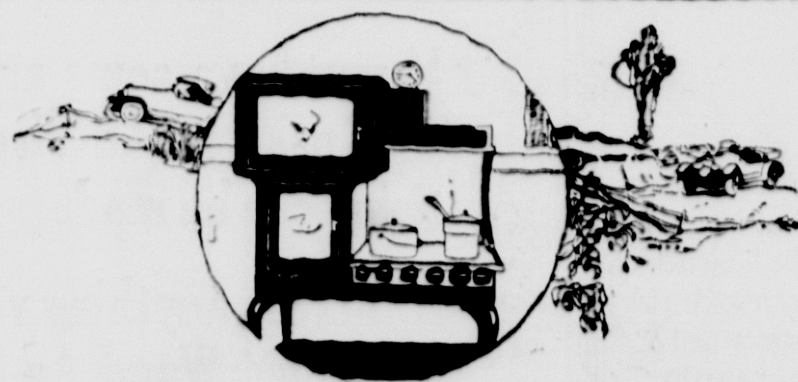
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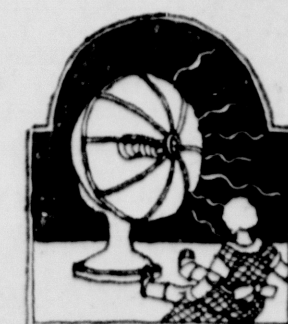
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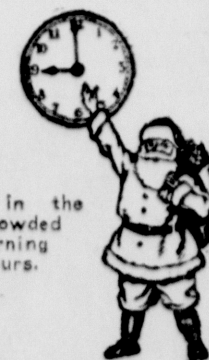
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Port Arthur



Shop in the uncrowded morning hours.



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Traffic Demands More Highways, Else Auto Industry Will Begin to Suffer in Future

DEALERS LEAD ROAD SUPPORT

But Now He Must Boost New Routes

Automobile manufacturers who for years have seen the increased production of cars and the consequent saturation of the automobile market should begin to realize that a new element has entered the field and that it behooves them to prepare for it. Heretofore the prospects of production saturation have based their prophecies on the supposed inability of the public to find any more money for automobiles. But the money continues to be found, and it will continue to be found probably for a long time if the prospective owners can find any place to run their automobiles in comfort and with pleasure. No one sees the congestion in our city streets and on our county highways without realizing that the saturation point of automobile production is not going to be measured by the purchasing power of the people but by the capacity of our highways. Unless more and better highways are built and more and wider streets are opened the use of the automobile will become a diminishing utility or pleasure. The lesson to the automobile manufacturer should be plain. Hitherto he has fought every effort to make the automobile pay for any road or street construction. Maintenance he was willing to support because obviously the car wore out the road, but construction he held was the duty of the whole public and not that part of the public that operated motors. As a theory that may still be reasonable; but if the automobile manufacturer reads the signs a little he will see that practically he had better do all he can to help get new roads and streets because sooner or later—and very soon near our crowded centers—the demand for automobiles is going to be seriously diminished by the simple fact that there will be no place to run them.

FREE SERVICE FOUND COSTLY

Dealer Says Customers Readily Understand

There is a certain magnetism in the word "free" and a natural, human gravitation in the direction of anything that appears to be free, but in spite of this it is not difficult to convince the average automobile buyer that paid service is usually preferable to so-called "free" service, according to E. P. Baker, local Dodge Brothers dealer.

"Doubtless we are helped materially," he added, "by the fact that Dodge Brothers have publicly announced repeatedly that they do not believe in so-called 'free' service. It is not simply a local policy of our own, but a principle laid down by headquarters and adhered to, I believe, by every dealer in the United States. The public has learned that Dodge Brothers conduct their business along sound lines and that anything they do benefits the purchaser as much as it does the factory."

"Consequently the man who seems inclined to talk about 'free' service usually begins by saying that there must be some good reason for not giving 'free' service, or Dodge Brothers would not take such a definite stand against it."

"Whereupon it becomes a simple matter for us to explain how Dodge Brothers assumed that when a man set out to buy a car he was interested primarily in getting a good car, the most car, in fact, that he could get for a given sum. What might be thrown in with the car in the way of 'free' accessories and 'free' service was of secondary consideration. In fact, these items were of such absurdly minor consequence, compared with the chief objective—that of getting a car that represented real dollar-for-dollar value—that they deserved no consideration whatever."

"Having come to this conclusion, Dodge Brothers determined to base the price of their cars wholly on actual value, with a fair profit to themselves and dealers. To enable them to 'give away' accessories and 'free' service, it would be necessary to make the margin of profit on the car large enough to absorb these extra costs. That could be done only by raising the list price of the car, and this they refused to do."

"So, under Dodge Brothers policy, the buyer pays only for his car. Under the so-called 'free' service policy, every owner pays a maintenance fee for the upkeep of every other owner's car—and he pays this fee in advance."

"Under Dodge Brothers policy, the owner is not so penalized. He pays a fair, predetermined price for service, but he pays only as he needs it—and he pays only for his own."

"The logic of the proposition is perfectly plain. That is why most people have no difficulty in understanding why 'free' service is not as 'free' as it looks, and that our charges are entirely reasonable and wholly justified by the principles under which the car was sold."

Wrench Improvements

It sometimes happens in repair work that a nut must be turned which is so located that the wrench cannot be given sufficient movement to engage the next pair of flats. Usually, the difficulty can be overcome by removing another part, but this is seldom desirable. By notching the wrench it will engage the corners of the nut. This will permit it to be turned sufficiently to engage the next pair of flats, thus giving the wrench twelve positions on the nut instead of six. The notch should be used only for light work; the nut should not be drawn tight while held in the notches unless absolutely necessary, as the jaws will be easily sprung.—Automobile Digest.

SEALING SERVICE

YOUR HOME NEEDS A RADIO

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Traffic Talks

LONDON BOBBY A GOOD TRAFFIC OFFICER

"Keep to the left" is the warning which first greets the American motorist in London and rural England. Secondly, he will notice that nearly all of the cars are equipped with right-hand drives.

It is interesting to recall how why motor cars and vehicles of all kinds keep to the left in England. Years ago, according to the story, all traffic kept to the right and when the drivers of the great coaches and with their six and eight horses, cracked their long whips, they frequently struck pedestrians on the sidewalk to their right. To protect pedestrians from this stinging whip, vehicles were pushed over to the left-hand side.

All things considered London traffic is wonderfully well handled. The London "Bobby," as the English policeman is known affectionately to the English public, is respected the world over. And to him must go much of the credit for the able manner in which traffic is handled in London.

The casual student of traffic might propose synchronization of traffic in London, but not if he first studies a London street map. Streets do not run at right angles like they do in most American cities. The ablest traffic men in London who have been to America and studied American traffic methods say that synchronization is not practical. And they should know.

There are small lights on the front fenders of all automobiles to indicate the extreme width of the car. These lights add to the attractiveness

of the car and date from war days when air raids were common and street lights few. They have remained as a fixture.

Motor cars are permitted to park on either side of the street pointed in any direction. A car on the right side of the street is permitted to cross through approaching traffic on the left-hand side and park on the left-hand side with the car pointed in the right hand direction. I doubt whether that is permitted anywhere in the United States.

American cities have learned that the turning of motor cars has much to do with the speed with which traffic is moved. Turns are not permitted at all at some corners. Left hand turns are not permitted at others. Complete turns are not permitted at others. But in London turns of any kind seem to be permitted anywhere. And the reason for it is that London streets are so irregular.

London traffic moves more rapidly than that of New York but not as rapidly as that of Paris. Smallness of cars makes possible a more flexible traffic than in New York.

The student of traffic who goes to London and Paris and the other continental cities and then returns to New York realizes that New York has probably the best traffic regulation in the world. And New York should have because America has long been the leader of the automotive industry. Of the 18,000,000 cars in the world more than 15,000,000 are in America.

Freight Costs on Chevrolets To Be Reduced After January

Local Dealer Says New Plan to Solve Problem in Handling Autos for Port Arthur Buyers

A plan begun by the Chevrolet Motor company in 1922 to cut down freight costs of shipments by paralleling each of their assembly plants with a factory for the Fisher Body corporation, which builds all Chevrolet closed bodies, will be completed by the first of the year when the final factory for the Fisher Body corporation will be in operation at the Tarrytown, N. Y., assembly plant, according to word received here by Philip Inman, local dealer.

A factory for the Fisher Body corporation to build Chevrolet bodies is now in operation at six of the seven Chevrolet assembly plants. The one at Tarrytown, N. Y., is the last to be completed.

There has been a close connection between the establishment of the Chevrolet assembly plants and the gradual reduction in price of the Chevrolet car in the last five years, particularly since the Fisher Body corporation factories have been established at each Chevrolet assembly plant, Inman declares.

Chevrolet assembly plants were first established at Flint, Mich., St. Louis, Mo., Tarrytown, N. Y., and Oakland, Cal., from 1917 on. In 1923 assembly plants were established by Chevrolet at Janesville, Wis., Cincinnati, Ohio, and Buffalo, N. Y., and plants for the Fisher Body corporation were built at these points at the same time. The year previous, however, Fisher Body building plants had been established at the Chevrolet assembly plants at Flint, Mich., St. Louis, and Oakland.

During this period has come about a number of reductions in the price of Chevrolet cars, due in great measure to the economies effected by such assembly plants, which included also the body building factories. From early in 1920 through 1924, a period of five years, there have been reductions in the price of the Chevrolet car, totaling approximately 35 per cent.

In addition to the economies effected and the consequent price reductions, there has also been a steady marked improvement in the quality of the Chevrolet cars. New features have been incorporated from time to time which added to the comfort and convenience of the owner.

The new factory for the Fisher

Body corporation at Tarrytown, N. Y., has already been completed, equipment will shortly be installed, and it should be in operation at the beginning of the year.

Filing Shims

It is often necessary to file shims such as used in connecting rod and other bearings as the are very thin and likely to bend if they are gripped in the vise jaws. To eliminate this danger they can be nailed to a smooth board with brads and then the board forms the means of holding them in the vise. In filing the heads of the brads will be reduced so that the removal of the shim can readily be made.—Automobile Digest.

Creepers

A creeper is a very handy thing about the workshop for getting under the car to make a repair or an adjustment. It not only provides a means of getting under the car, but keeps one off the dirty and oily floor, as well as protecting the health during cold and disagreeable weather. It is so simple to construct that no shop or private garage should be without one. It consists of a frame made from two by two ends and one-half by three boards about three feet long. A pillow is provided for a headrest and castor rollers, the latter permitting one to slide under the car with it.—Automobile Digest.

Holding In Place

When replacing main bearing caps, the shims sometimes become troublesome to hold while the cap is being replaced. By making a few clips, the shims may be firmly held in place. The shims are first placed over the stud and then a clip is slipped over, holding the shim in place while the cap is being drawn up.—Automobile Digest.

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BUICK DRIVER SETS UP MARK

Stays In Car 55 Hours For Record Run

What is perhaps the world's record for endurance was made last week by C. F. "Outdoor" Franklin in a new 1925 standard six Buick car. The Howard Automobile company, Pacific Coast Buick distributor, report that Franklin drove 1606 miles in less than 55 hours without leaving the driver's seat.

The record run was made from the Canadian border to the Mexican border, and establishes a speed record between these points.

Starting from Blaine, Canada, at 8 a. m., Franklin made the 1600 miles to Tijuana, Mexico, without a relief driver and without leaving the wheel, arriving at Tijuana the next day at 2:40 p. m.

Sixteen hundred miles continuous driving is a feat that few would undertake, and in making this record, Franklin certainly makes a strong bid for the hall of fame. The Buick standard six proved its stability by the wonderful manner in which it stood this extraordinary test. Not once did the car falter. The Buick valve-in-head motor which is built for power, speed and economy, was in perfect running order at the end of the long grind, and the gas consumption averaged better than 18 miles to the gallon.

The fact that only one pint of water was needed to fill the radiator at the end of the trip indicates the efficiency of the Buick motor.

Official observers appointed by Los Angeles newspapers checked the trip from start to finish, and report that not once did the motor or car stop running.

Franklin says that only the perfect performance of the car and tires and the easy steering of the Buick made it possible for him to establish this new world's endurance record.

Repairing Threads

To recut badly damaged threads, take a nut of the proper size and saw a slot in one side. Spread the slot slightly with a screwdriver or metal wedge and turn the nut over the damaged threads until it reaches the good threads. Remove the wedge and draw together with a wrench so as to tighten the nut on the threads, then turn it back over the damaged part. The split nut will always follow the old thread but it may be necessary to repeat the operation several times to recut the thread on the damaged section.—Automobile Digest.

Insulating Handles

In working about electrical connections it is frequently desirable to insulate the handle of the pliers to prevent the possibility of receiving a shock. This may be readily accomplished by placing a piece of heavy wall rubber tubing over each handle.—Automobile Digest.

Washing Stunt

By attaching a sponge to the end of a pipe, the burden of washing the car will be greatly lessened. In this manner the force of the water is broken, which prevents marring the finish of the car, and avoids slashing. In addition to this, only one hand is required, and inaccessible places are easily reached.—Automobile Digest.

Secure an old barrel, cut out a section, and when removing or replacing tires on the rims, the work can be done more easily and quickly, and besides, the barrel can be used for storing supplies which would otherwise lie in a corner of the garage.—Automobile Digest.

Removing Screws

Small screws are frequently difficult to remove as they become rusted tight so that the leverage of the screwdriver is not great enough on the slot spreads in applying the screwdriver. In such cases the head of the screw can be filed square and a spanner wrench used to remove. If the spanner wrench is hardened, it will be possible to hammer it home over the head of the screw and thus reshape it.—Automobile Digest.

OPERATION OF AUTOS LOWER

Attitude of Public Compliance to Engineers

How much does it cost to operate and maintain an automobile?

Comparatively few automobile owners have more than a vague idea regarding what their car is costing them according to R. M. Hatfield, service manager of Olds Motor works, and for that reason do not realize the great strides made by manufacturers in reducing car operating costs and increasing efficiency and economy.

"Low operating cost is more or less taken for granted today," said Mr. Hatfield. "Automobile owners feel that it is not worth their time to keep accurate check on costs, and this attitude in itself is a decided compliment to engineering achievements that are adding to operating economy."

"Of course officials of automobile companies are fully aware of every improvement that results in more mileage or a lessening of the likelihood for repairs. That is part of their business. In fact tests are constantly being made at every factory to determine just what a car will do."

Many of these tests show such surprising results that they never are made public, as it is feared that it would raise doubt as to their accuracy. It is realized that these tests are made with cars kept in excellent condition and driven by experts, and for that reason, it is possible that the results could not be duplicated by every automobile owner.

Repairing Fenders

Small dents in the fenders are unsightly, and are usually the hardest to remove, owing to the shortness of the bend. Hammering is helpful, but usually some marks are left, which are readily noticed. A much easier repair and one which leaves no indication that a repair has been made, is to fill the dent with solder. The dent is first scraped clean of all paint and polished with emery cloth, after which soldering paste is applied. A torch is then applied to the under side of the fender, while a piece of solder is built up slightly higher than the fender, it may be filed off flush. Sandpapering and polishing completes the repair.—Automobile Digest.

DODGE BROTHERS SPECIAL TYPE-A SEDAN

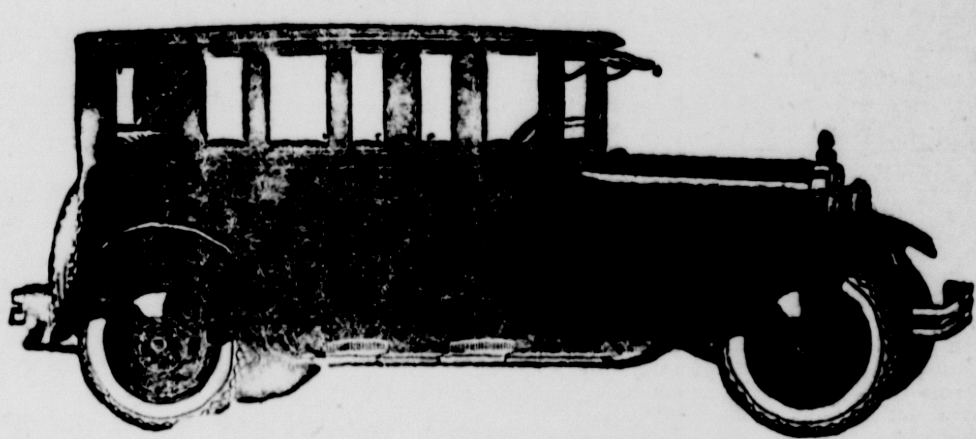
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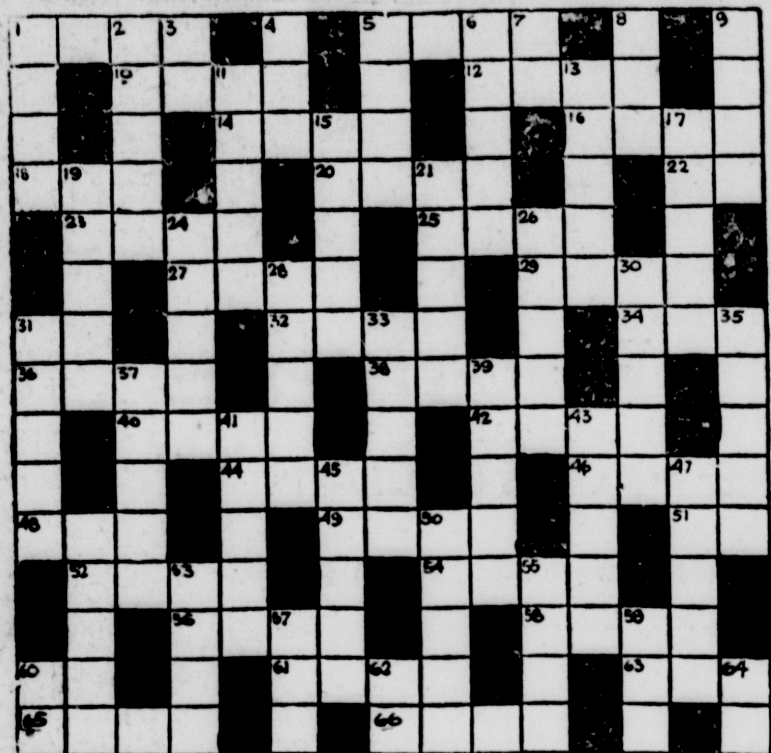
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THE NEWS' CROSSWORD PUZZLE



This black creation is not as fearful as it looks. True, the plan of this puzzle leaves many unclued letters in the vertical columns, but it is a splendid workout in four and five letter words, every word of which should be found in an abridged dictionary, though not necessarily in a pocket dictionary.

HORIZONTAL.

1. Any — in a storm.
5. A couch.
10. Soft mud or slime.
12. Egress.
14. Give forth.
16. Skillful.
18. She deer.
20. A friend in — is a friend indeed.
22. You and I objective.
23. Not false.
25. A small island.
27. A mark left by a wound.
29. Persuade onward.
31. Nominative case of 22 horizontal.
32. Slight.
34. Blood color.
36. Surface.
38. By mouth.
40. A plot of ground.
42. To see at a distance.
44. A sac containing diseased matter.
46. The snakes that crossword puzzles have been reminding you Cleopatra made famous.
48. A mythical, and, incidentally, very large bird.
49. Not fat.
51. The beginning of animosity and the end of bias.
52. The boishies killed the last one.
54. Same as 25 horizontal.
56. A preposition with the sense of "from the outside in."
58. Wings of houses.
60. A masculine, singular pronoun.
61. Semi-circular recess terminating in the choir or sanctuary of a church.
63. Even, contracted.
65. Globes.
66. Fragrance.

VERTICAL.

1. Pool.
2. A wanderer, but more easily identified as a common name for a dog.
3. A preposition formed by the

20th and 15th letters of the alphabet.

4. Edge of a garment.
5. Location.
6. Supplies with food.
7. An overgrown hatchet.
8. Consumed.
9. Divisions of a play.
11. A small, three-masted ship.
13. Opposite a worker.
15. To accustom.
17. A flare used as a night railroad signal.
19. A fish-eating member of the woad family.
21. A downy feathered duck.
24. Customary.
26. Soothe.
28. Friendly relation. (Do not confuse this with friendly relative.)
30. Color of white mixed with black. (Plural.)
31. A thin cake or biscuit.
33. Way or road traveled.
35. Scum or refuse of melted metal.
37. Long narrative poems concerning heroic deeds.
39. Countless years.
41. The nut of an oak.
43. A division or a section of a wall or ceiling.
45. A one-masted vessel.
47. To analyze by the rules of grammar.
50. Exposed to the air.
53. Tunes.
55. A look of malice.
57. What hits your income.
59. Human limb.
60. Westward —.
62. As.
64. Opposite of yes.

Answer to yesterday's crossword puzzle:

EVERLASTING
LAX OIL SEA
NIP MOB TO
STOT TOM L
TO GAP SIP
ENCOMIASTIC
PER ELL EKE
SAP EAR EN
O BOY SEE T
PALE I ERA
EXPOSTULATE

U. S. Still Paying Veterans of 1912

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The federal government is still paying pensions on account of the war of 1812 which ended more than a century ago, according to pension bureau records. With the longer lives assured by modern health conditions, the government may be expected to be still paying insurance growing out of the recent world war in the year 2030. None of the actual veterans of the war of 1812 are still alive, but the pension bureau is paying pensions to 29 widows of veterans of that war. The oldest pensioner on the rolls is Mahala Huff, of Louisville, Kentucky, widow of James Huff, a private in the Virginia militia in the war of 1812. She is 105 years old and until she dies will draw \$30 a month from the government.

PLAN HAPPY HUNTING GROUND FOR STATE

DALLAS, Nov. 29.—Suggestions for legislation designed to make the state a "happy hunting ground" filled with wild game of 11 descriptions, were drawn up at a meeting of the Texas Game and Fish Conservation commission by John Statton of Dallas, secretary-treasurer. Statton termed past legislation tending to promote game preserves as a "shuff" as there was no law which would support the plans.

MAITRE BACK FROM EL PASO CONVENTION

Henry Maitre, who has been in El Paso, Texas, for some time attending the general convention of the American Federation of Labor, has returned to Port Arthur. Maitre said today that the harmony and general good feeling prevalent at the conference was one of the paramount features.

AKRON TO BUILD SUPER AIR CRAFT

AKRON, O., Nov. 29.—Construction of a super-dirigible, more than twice as large as the ZR-3 or the Shenandoah, will commence here following the arrival from Germany of Dr. Karl Arnstein, noted Zeppelin engineer, to assume his duties as vice president of the Goodyear Zeppelin corporation.

Dickey's Old Reliable Eye Water cools, heals and strengthens sore, weak, tired eyes. All druggists, 25c.—Adv.

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Mental Torture Is Tried as Speed Cure

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Nov. 29.—Mental torture is being tried out by the Cleveland police department to punish careless automobile drivers and prevent auto accidents. This punishment, inflicted by Police Judge Joseph Sawicki on convicted traffic violators, consists in compelling the careless drivers to gaze on the faces of dead auto victims at the morgue, or to visit crippled children's wards at local hospitals.

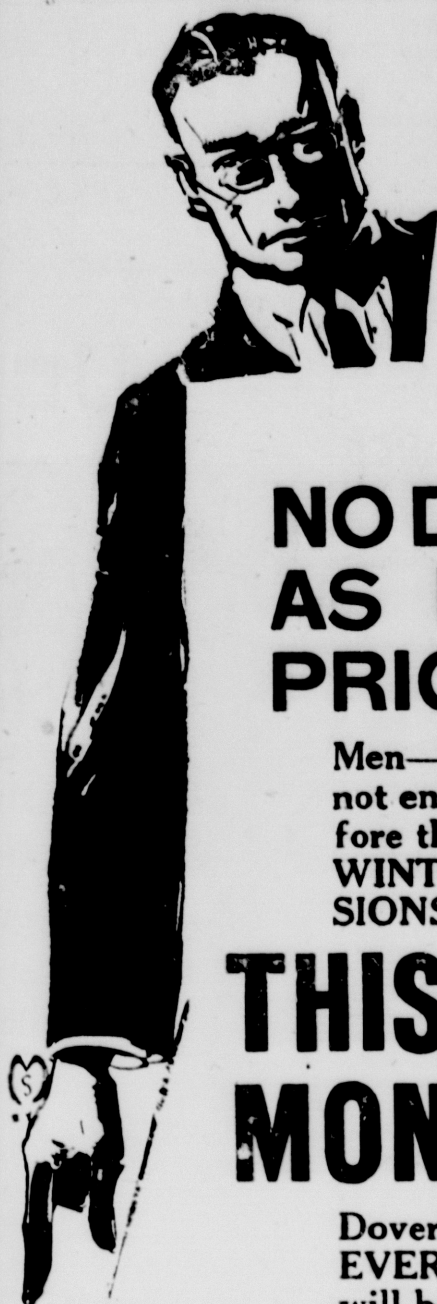
Other unusual punishments also are being tried out here to halt the auto death toll, which since Jan. 1 is more than 150 and mounting steadily. Auto license plates of careless drivers are being confiscated in the new crusade against the traffic violator. Stiffer jail sentences and larger fines are being imposed.

HISTORIC PLANE TO GO UNDER HAMMER

BELGRADE, Nov. 29.—It is reported from Budapest that the Hungarian authorities are about to sell by auction the airplane which the ex-emperor Charles used on his famous flight from Switzerland to Hungary, three years ago, in order to claim the throne of Hungary. The amount realized from this sale will be sent to the ex-empress Zita in her exile at Lequeito.

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Warns Nation Economy May Hurt Army

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—A bigger and better equipped army was recommended by Secretary of War Weeks today in his annual report to the president. Warning the nation that exaggerated economy was impairing the regular army's efficiency, Weeks recommended increasing the enlisted strength from 118,000 to 150,000 and the replenishment of munitions and equipment.

Weeks' report adopted almost every recommendation made by Gen. J. J. Pershing in the latter's report giving his final views on the needs of the army before he went into retirement.

More National Guards

A program of gradual expansion extending over a 10-year period was outlined by the secretary. Special immediate recommendations based upon elaborate reports of the chiefs of the various military departments and particularly on the proposal embodied in General Pershing's final report included:

- 1—Increase air service equipment and personnel to 3,000 officers and 25,000 men.
- 2—Regular army of 150,000 and 130,000 officers instead of the present 118,000 and 12,000.
- 3—Gradual increase of national guard from the present strength of 175,000 to 250,000, and ultimately to 350,000 men as provided in the national defense act.
- 4—Better Coast Defense.
- 5—Annual intensive training of 25,000 to 30,000 organized reserves instead of the present 4,500.
- 6—Reserve officers training camps to produce 7,000 officers annually instead of the present 1,000.
- 7—Increased appropriations for citizens' military training camps which last June were attended by 49,234 men.
- 8—New quarters for officers and men.
- 9—Replenishment of munitions and equipment.
- 10—Better coast defense and improved storage facilities at Hawaii and the canal zone.
- 11—Promotion by selection instead of seniority of two per cent of officers up to grade of major.
- 12—Amendment of law to permit enlistments in the regular army for one or three years at the option of the secretary of war instead of at the option of the recruit.

Port Arthur's Other Whale Brought Excursion Trains

Monster Was Finally Mounted and Shown at Fairs and Finally Buried in Chicago Fire

The capture of a whale today calls to the minds of many of the older residents the excitement of March 8, 1910, when the now well known "Port Arthur" whale was captured in the oil pond to the westward of the jetties.

On that morning Captain Cott Plummer of the pilots, on duty outside, located a 63-foot sperm apparently grounded on the flats in the oil pond.

The huge mammal was in deep enough water for the pilot tug to get within distance and from it Captain Plummer took a small boat and line and "boarded" the whale. He passed a line about 15 feet and the Florida took up the slack, gradually pulling its tow, very much alive, off into deep water.

After some maneuvering the tug got straightened out and went into Sabine where the whale was temporarily moored along side the Southern-Pacific shed wharf.

The news soon spread in the city and the road, a much rougher highway than now exists, was lined with cars bearing citizens to their first sight of a whale.

It Was Alive

Some of those who recall that those who crowded the edge of the wharf were thoroughly shocked as an answer to their questions "is it alive?" At intervals the huge body came to the surface and "blew" sending up a solid 6-inch stream of water.

There were some preparations made during the afternoon and shortly before dark the pilot tug stood by and with the assistance of a launch to watch the lines, slowly steamed away from the wharf with the whale in tow, being pulled first.

The trip was a slow one, as the few who knew anything at all about whales were of the opinion that the big animal could not be taken the distance alive. He stood the first part of the trip well, coming up and blowing at intervals, but half way up the canal the breathings became further apart and the last fourth of the distance the tug was pulling a dead weight.

It was 1 o'clock in the morning when the whale was towed into the city slip and it was determined that he was dead, drowned in his natural element owing to the fact that the strain kept on his tail to prevent his thrashing, also served to prevent him coming up to blow.

The next day and night was devoted to setting the great bulk out on the bank. Sperm needles were planted and the bank sloped off and the feat was finally accomplished.

The scene was something like that when the sunken Isomzo was raised in the canal above the city some weeks ago.

Special Trains Run

A board wall was erected about the space and as the press dispatches carried the story to surrounding towns and cities, special excursion trains were advertised by the railroads and for a week Port Arthur was the center of interest.

Thousands of persons passed the gates daily and whaledogs became the study of the hour. Professors of zoology came here from schools and universities but in the warm spring weather the whale didn't improve in its position in Lakeside park.

All sorts of expert advice was asked by those in charge as to ways and means of eliminating the increasing odor and all sorts of embalming processes were tried, but without success.

This being a whale of the sperm variety, it was a simple operation to drain the sperm oil from the head and visitors took away souvenir bottles which sold on the ground for from 10 to 25 cents.

Taken to Fair.

The sperm oil is carried in a cavity in the skull and, according to authorities, is provided by nature as a means of the whale raising and lowering himself.

An inch pipe was driven into the skull and between ten and eleven barrels of oil were drawn off, it being afterward shipped to a northern plant to be prepared for market in the form of watch and sewing machine lubrication.

The whale was finally taken to sea on a barge and the carcass dissected, the bones and skin being preserved and a close watch kept for ambergris in the body cavity, that sticky substance which is to the whaler what the "pocket" is to the prospector. It has a market value of about its weight in gold and paradoxical as it may sound, is used as the base for many perfumes.

The original Port Arthur whale was mounted and taken to many fairs and exhibitions on a barge to meet its end finally when, a part of an exhibit, it was burned in a suburb of Chicago.

MORE DELAY

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State, however, are a dozen or more inclined by the City Manager plan to be in favor of the city manager form.

Election to name 15 from the two states to serve as charter revision commissioners will be held January 3, according to instructions issued to City Attorney V. J. Wistner by Mayor J. P. Logan for an ordinance to that effect, following a vote by the city commission when it was found that December 27, the original date designated, would not meet the legal requirements calling for the lapse of 30 days as required by law.

Ordinance Not Ready

Friday, it was believed, would witness required reading of this ordinance. Friday passed without the ordinance being read or the commission meeting.

As a result it was declared Saturday night as being practically a certainty that the city commission will declare a further postponement in the election date.

In this election should it be held January 3, Port Arthur would witness one of those queer manifestations of election laws which crop out now and then—that of a 1925 election being held with voters wielding their 1923 poll tax receipts.

This is due to the requirements of the state election law, which defines the poll tax vote as January 31 to January 31. In the primary elections the 1923 poll tax receipts were required of voters. If the charter revision election were to be held after January 31, the 1924 poll tax receipts would be required of voters at the polls.

Some speculation was rife Saturday as to probability of the city commission further deferring the election. Last set for January 3, it was considered as a possibility that circumstances might arise which, in the order of things, conceivably throw the election date into February.

Forces Organized

Should this happen a brand new style of poll tax receipt would be required—those bearing the imprint "1924." And since 1924 poll taxes are now payable, some speculation was voiced as to what might happen if the election was called, say, for February 15. From a speculative basis purely, this would require the balance of citizens eligible to vote to pay their poll taxes in the remaining December-January period.

What would happen if this was to occur is guess work.

The week-end found both the city manager form and People's Government league forces well organized. The City Manager club announced Saturday night that more than a thousand names had been secured on its membership rolls, with probabilities that this number would be doubled or more than doubled before the end of another week.

"The more publicity and investigation which is given the proposal for the city manager form finds any popular prejudice which may exist against it dwindling," Perry LaGrone, of the City Manager club membership committee, declared Saturday night. Some of the most bitter opponents of the manager form last week have espoused the city manager plan this week.

Gaining Strength

"We are finding that the more people are becoming acquainted with the principles of operation of the manager form the more they are inclined to favor the plan. Proof that the city manager plan saves the money of the taxpayers, and does away with killing of the valuations of property owners with each taxation year, is to be found in the stories of more than 300 American cities which have adopted the plan. It is significant that of these 300 or more, only four have ever changed, and one of these elected its city manager to mayor with more substantial powers than any mayor of an American city has ever possessed. This plan going further than the city plan in that the mayor, who was city manager, was responsible solely for everything in the city's government."

"When Woodrow Wilson before his death announced himself in favor of the city manager plan, he wasn't, of course, speaking for the American people. He came to that conclusion in his private capacity as an observing American citizen, but what makes his opinion count for something more than the average opinion is that he was president of the United States."

The Beaumont Form

"I notice that the Beaumont Enterprise in an editorial this morning came out for the city manager form of government, denying that as the plan is now operative here that it is the city manager form. This is not

CHICAGO STOCK SHOW OPENS

11,000 Animals Are Entered At Exposition

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—With a visit and address by President Coolidge as its feature box office attraction, a record breaking list of entries, and official recognition of congress, the 25th International Livestock exposition opened here tonight.

President and Mrs. Coolidge will attend the exposition next Thursday on their first trip to the west in two years.

Eleven thousand animals and more than 5,000 samples of crops are in competition for the \$100,000 prize money offered.

Chicago society went en masse to the horse show tonight.

Entrants and visitors are from all parts of the North and South American continents.

County Judge Will Hear Criminal Cases

Special to The News

BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—Judge C. N. Ellis, county court at law, will hear criminal cases the entire month of December with the exception of Christmas week. Approximately 75 cases have been set for each of the three weeks. Judge Ellis has spent almost the entire month of November in calling his civil non-jury cases and a number have been dismissed.

The 58th district court will be in vacation beginning Monday. No court will be held there until the grand jury meets on December 6, when the new term will open. Judge J. D. Campbell in the 60th court will continue with his jury civil cases.

Woman Kidnaps Baby After Telephone Ruse

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.

Warning was broadcast to all police precincts tonight to watch for a strange woman who kidnaped 3-year-old Charles Stevenson, from his father's home in Gloucester, N. J., across the river from Philadelphia.

The child was stolen by the woman after his mother had been lured from the house by a ruse, police said. Mrs. Stevenson was preparing the boy for bed when a strange woman appeared at the door and told the mother she was wanted at a telephone in a nearby shop.

At the shop Mrs. Stevenson was told there was no call and hurried home to find her baby missing.

CONVICTED SLAYER ASKS FOR NEW TRIAL

DALLAS, Nov. 29.—Motion for new trial for L. D. Shelton, convicted and sentenced to 15 years in connection with the death of Helen Ross, was heard here today.

The court's decision is expected Monday. Shelton, at his trial, claimed the girl was accidentally shot when he shot at her father in self defense.

One of the most frequent results of submarine earthquakes is the breaking of telegraph cables.

CHRISTMAS CHEER LOST OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Nov. 29.—The Wichita mountains "moonshine area" lost part of its Christmas cheer when officers brought in five stills and four alleged moonshiners. The stills were taken by military authorities.

Rheumatism



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WHALE

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Gets Into Movies.

Moving picture views of the whale as he floundered and spouted while grounded off the east jetty and as the tug and barge towed him into Sabine Pass were made by Walter Norris, Port Arthur movie cameraman. The views of the whale will be sent to a news moving picture concern for exhibition on their regular circuit.

Hurrying out of Port Arthur and Beaumont all day Saturday, motorists journeyed in a steady line down the Sabine road, hoping to be on hand to see the whale landed. Various rumors and reports were heard all over Port Arthur, some having it that the whale broke away and was lost, and others setting forth that he was on exhibition at Sabine. Speed boats and slower motor boats put out around the jetties and formed a miniature naval escort for the leviathan as he was towed slowly inside to Sabine Pass.

A good road extends to the pilot's wharf from Sabine Pass, leading off to the left when the Dick Dowling monument at the cross roads is reached, and the whale can be seen there all day Sunday. Captain Plummer said. No arrangements for handling the throng of sightseers have been completed and the price of admission has not yet been fixed, but these details will be worked out later.

Missing Banker Is Located In Italy

OKLAHOMA CITY, Nov. 29.—O. M. Anderson, former cashier of the Bank of McAlester, Okla., who mysteriously disappeared Christmas eve, 1922, when \$20,000 of the bank's funds were found missing, has been located in Italy, it was announced at Gov. Trapp's office late today.

Through the state department at Washington the governor announced he had cabled the American embassy in Rome, requesting that Anderson be arrested by the Italian government and held until a state official can arrive and return with him to Oklahoma and face embezzlement charges.

Son of Minister Undergoes Operation

Warren Waite Davis, the young son of Ber, and Mrs. T. Alvis Davis, of 1005 Fifth street, who underwent a mastoid operation in the Mary Gates hospital yesterday afternoon, was reported doing well late last night.

The operation was successful although the young patient has not yet been removed to his home.

Eighty-seven percent of all ocean water is below 40 degrees Fahrenheit, it is estimated.

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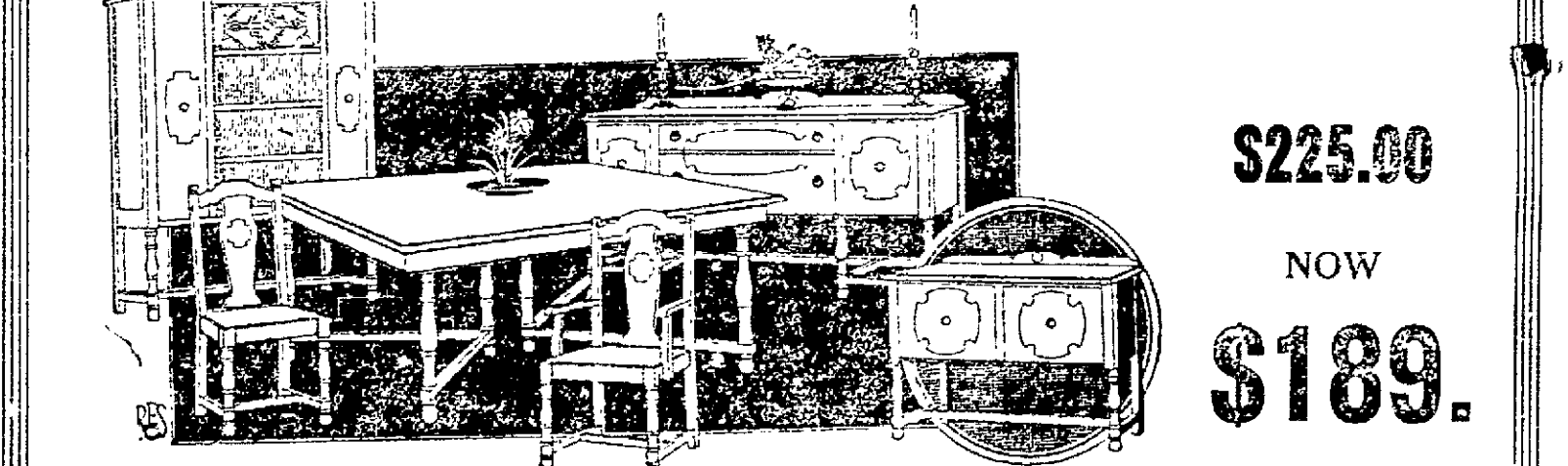
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FRESH WATER PLEAS HEARD

Three Proposals Before Hearing Saturday

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canal systems to a point touching the boundaries of Port Arthur and convert their pumping facilities to the operation of a fresh water supply for domestic and industrial purposes in Port Arthur.

The men making proposals expressed themselves as being willing that all should remain in the meeting, regardless of the fact that they were presenting figures on which they proposed to sell the water to the city, as it was understood that the meeting today would take no final action of any kind.

Joe Broussard was the first one called to explain his plan and after hanging a map of the county, showing the present system maintained by his company and the route they propose to cover in the event they are called upon to furnish the city with fresh water, he went into details.

Pine Island Project

He proposed to furnish the system with a supply taken from Pine Island bayou at Voth, with a power plant to establish a new intake plant at the mouth of Village Creek on the Neches river in the event that the deepening of the canal has the effect of making the water too salty for use during the summer season.

The canal system now in operation comes to a point within fourteen miles of the city and Broussard stated that within a period of four months from the signing of the contract his company will be in a position to furnish a satisfactory bond that they will deliver to a reservoir at any point on the western city limits of Port Arthur as much as 220 million gallons of water per day. Based on a minimum consumption of four million gallons per day, the water would be delivered to pumping distance of the reservoir for seven cents a thousand, for the first four million gallons, 6 cents for the next three million gallons and 5 cents for the following three million and 3 cents per thousand gallons for all over 10 million.

In the event that salt water comes up the Neches river to a point where it materially affects the Port Arthur supply, the company would locate a new pumping plant at the entrance of Village Creek at a point up the Neches river considered far above the possibility of sea water at any season.

Should this new plant become necessary the city would pay at a scale of one cent per thousand above the quantity prices quoted until such time as the company has been reimbursed for the additional cost of pumping facilities and canals to connect with the present system.

Neches Greater Supply

A 12 month option will be given the city to purchase the entire irrigation system of the company, together with pumping plants and rights of way, for a consideration of \$450,000, Broussard said.

Broussard stated that the water pumped to Port Arthur comes directly from the Neches river up Pine Island bayou and made the statement that he had been furnished figures by a local refining company head that there was a greater volume of water coming down the Neches river than through the Sabine river.

Issue was taken by a refinery engineer who explained that all of the figures compiled were from measurements taken on a single day and his department was not in a position to say what the comparative volumes of the two rivers are.

Statements were made by G. A. Lubank, at this juncture, that engineers from the U. S. government offices were at this time making measurements of the two rivers and their report, which would be completed in the near future, would settle this point which has been brought up since the meetings have commenced.

This matter was discussed last Saturday when the proposal of the Orange fresh water promoters, who proposed to tap the Sabine river above Orange and deliver water to this side of the river at Port Neches, was heard.

Broussard suggested that the city construct a reservoir with a 60-day supply as a reserve against emergency.

The next project heard was that of Will Carroll, representing irrigation interests which also serve a large portion of the county devoted to the rice industry.

The Carroll Project

Carroll also proposed to establish pumping plant on Pine Island bayou but his plans include the construction of an intake pipe which would lead directly to the Neches river at a point known as Lake View and bring the water from the river itself to connect with the system already established.

This plan contemplates extensions of the present system to bring Port Arthur's water supply to a point near El Vista for delivery to the city. As to rates, Carroll submitted a schedule which included a consumption of 20 million gallons with a range of cost, based on the thousand gallons, as follows:

One million gallons, daily, .0677; four million, .0677; five million, .0645; six million, .0617; seven million, .0594; eight million, .0572; nine million, .0551; 10 million, .0531; 15 million, .0481; 20 million, .0438; 25 million, .0401; 30 million, .0368; 40 million, .0328; 50 million, .0294; 60 million, .0264; 70 million, .0238; 80 million, .0214; 90 million, .0192; 100 million, .0172.

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And Katie Doesn't Get Dizzy



Kate Schmidt acts as the human dish-rag for Nicholson, stunt skater at St. Moritz, Switzerland.

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The Sabine lake plan, in brief, includes a dam across the head of the river to retain the fresh water from the rivers and at the same time to keep out the salt tide, together with locks in the Port Arthur ship canal at some point near its entrance into the head of navigation in Sabine Pass, to prevent sea water from coming up the ship and Sabine-Neches canal and flowing into the lake through the river openings.

McFaddin told of his long residence in this section and of the observations he had made while in the cattle business before Port Arthur was thought of as a location for a city or port. He said that in the early days he commenced watching the effects of salt tides in the lake from a stockman's standpoint, that of providing water for his herds.

"There was never a time," said McFaddin, "regardless of how salt the water was in Sabine lake at any point along here, that the stock would not drink the water at the river entrance at the head of the lake."

Dam Across Pass

"There isn't a man in this section who has watched more carefully the effects of tide and wind in bringing salt water into Sabine lake than I, and I believe, as I have always said, the lake will remain fresh with a dam across the pass."

"Salt was brought up the rivers by money and mankind. For sixteen years, prior to the completion of the Sabine-Neches canal, in 1917, I was in the rice business and we never had a failure. It was not until after the canals were opened that we had any failures. Let's get together and, by closing up the source with gates, undo what we have done to damage the great territory above here. I don't believe that the government, state or county has any right to construct anything that damages a man's property without paying him for it."

There was some question raised as to the feasibility of putting through a fresh water district plan which would include the whole county and McFaddin said that he proposed to already have their fresh water supply. George M. Craig raised the question as to whether or not Beaumont might not have a much for her present needs but might, in her development, want to get in on the source of the great supply proposed.

"I am perfectly willing that Beaumont should be a part of the district but expressed the idea or leaving her out so that we can go ahead without any opposition," said McFaddin. "You know that just a few citizens up there might stop the proceedings if they opposed it with the idea that Beaumont was being called upon to pay for improvements for the district that she didn't need."

Ten Years Ahead

"I told some people in this county but a short time ago that it is time to stop this bickering and realize that in another ten years Port Arthur and Beaumont will be connected with built-up territory if we go ahead as we have in the past two years. It's time we got in some broad-minded men big enough to see that any improvement that benefits Beaumont also benefits Port Arthur and in just the same way Port Arthur improvements will benefit Beaumont."

"As to the benefit to the other part of the county, below here, stopping salt water from coming up the canal will conserve thousands of acres lying along the coast in this county and at the same time make them productive."

"Back here years ago there wasn't any Keith lake gully. That outlet isn't a natural one. It was a ditch dug by the railroad. I know because I saw it when it first became wide enough to be bridged with 18-foot plankings. My father told me all about driving barge to the lower end of the county when they passed Keith lake on the road."

"It was along in 1881 that they commenced to use a bridge that was put over the rapidly widening ditch by the old mail carrier who carried the mail between Sabine Pass and Beaumont. I rode over the bridge myself, but let me tell you something. There is no use trying to shut the salt water out with any sort of a gate at Keith lake gully and the canal now. I tried that once and you can see some of the piling I drove there yet."

"I didn't figure on the back wash from the vessels coming through the canal. Got lots of it in but when those ships passed by the waves rolled back against that piling and it went out. Then, when one of my men was off for a Sunday, a freshet came along and finished the work."

Proposed Locks

"The only thing to do there is to put a lock in the 'cut off.' Leave Keith lake to be salt water with a boom across the mouth and raise oysters. They need both fresh and salt water and the boom will keep the salt water out. The back lake and other lakes will remain fresh as will the marshes and I want to tell you that they are productive."

"Didn't know till a few years ago that musk rats were any good till I discovered that they were making Hudson seal coats of them and I commenced to take notice. Just as an illustration, last Thursday I sold 8,700 pelts—a week's catch—for just \$8,000, lacking \$30, but the salt water is killing off my rats. It is keeping away the ducks, too, but if this plan is carried out to re-lease fish, oysters, and all the plenty of rats in all the lakes and marshes."

W. S. Carter made the strongest protest against the damming of the lake and entered into several arguments with McFaddin. He stated that in his opinion the plan was not feasible owing to the action of the tides and winds from the gulf side and the overflow from the landside, creating a flooded condition of the county, both above and below the natural outlet of the lake.

68 KILLED IN GRADE CRASHES

224 Others Hurt In State In 9 Months

AUSTIN, Nov. 29.—Sixty-eight persons have been killed and 224 others injured, a total of 292 casualties, at railroad highway crossings in Texas during the nine months ending Sept. 30, according to compilation by the railroad commission. With few exceptions the accidents were results of collisions between motor vehicles and railroad trains.

Reports made to the railroad commission show that the heaviest toll taken at grade crossing accidents was in July, when 13 persons were killed and 33 others injured. In August there were 6 killed and 42 injured, and in September the same number were killed, but the number of injured was reduced to 20.

COUNTY JAIL NEARLY FULL TO CAPACITY

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—There are now 65 prisoners in the county jail here, according to Jailer E. E. Kline. This is the highest number that has been confined there for a long time.

In the United States there are approximately 22,000 prong-horned antelopes.

TEXAS TEACHERS SHOULD Be Americans, Says

SAN ANTONIO, Nov. 29.—A constitutional amendment creating a state board of education composed of seven members with overlapping terms was recommended by S. M. N. Marrs, state superintendent of public instruction at the state teachers convention here today.

Marrs said that under terms of the amendment the board would appoint the state superintendent and fix his salary.

Persons licensed to teach in Texas schools should be American citizens, Marrs declared.

GOVERNOR GETS DEED FOR WAR HERO PARK

AUSTIN, Nov. 29.—Gov. Naff today received a deed from B. H. Gardner of Palestine conveying 25 acres of land on the public highway near Palestine as a public park. The park is to be a memorial to the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner, Lieut. Benjamin Howard Gardner, Jr., killed in second battle of the Marne, 1918, and will bear the name of Howard Gardner State park.

GAS PLANT ORDINANCE IS PASSED BY BOARD

Special to The News.
LAFAYETTE, La., Nov. 29.—The ordinance providing for the establishment of a gas plant in this city was finally adopted at the regular meeting of the board of trustees here. Considerable local capital is lined up for the project, which will get underway to construction in the near future.

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The inventor, J. T. Johnson, 609 W. Lake St., Chicago, Ill., is offering to send a lamp on 10 day's FREE trial, or even to give one FREE to the first user in each locality who will help him introduce it. Write him today for full particulars. Also ask him to explain how you can get the agency, and without experience or money make \$250 to \$500 per month.—ADV.

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A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Have we not all one father? Hath not one God created us? Why do we deal treacherously every man against his brother, by profaning the covenant of our father?—Mal. 2:10.

The Editorial Mind

Our School System Illustrates Manager Plan

More than ten days have elapsed since the city manager plan has been presented to the community. The result has found the bulk of the city welded in two groups—those for the city manager plan and those against it. "What is the city manager plan?" This is a question frequently met with by the thoughtful citizen who is determined to get at the bedrock of the discussion and, without fear or favor, judge for himself from what he can learn of both the merits or demerits of the Port Arthur situation from both angles as he sees it.

It has been established ever since the beginning of the Port Arthur city manager form that it is the merits of the political form as against the city manager form that is at trial—not individuals. This is a promising sign. It indicates that in a fair and impartial manner Port Arthur is setting about for a solution to a condition, and this should govern the actions of every citizen who is interested in the problem facing the city.

It is an axiom that while men govern, conditions govern men. Manifestly the thing we are concerned with in Port Arthur is a system of government which shall be representative, economical and, not least, efficient. We want everything we have been getting but we want more, also. And we want it just as cheaply as we can get it. These are the three cardinal issues of the campaign.

Port Arthur is in a formative stage. We are growing. It is a promising sign. We have more than the average city to look forward to. In five, ten or more years who shall say what we shall be in a point of growth and prosperity? If we can accomplish a municipal reform now which will mean for us years of greater accomplishment later on, that, of course, should be our sole effort and endeavor.

Is something wrong with us? If so let us remedy it. Are we getting what we are paying for—an efficient, painstaking government, economically administered? If not, let's get it. That is the crux of the whole matter. Where a thing so vitally concerns a people, that people should immediately set about investigating it to its own satisfaction with an eye to improvement. We cannot stand still. We must advance or we must retrograde—fall back.

Everyone who is at all familiar with our school system, to which everyone among us alike point with pride, knows that it is the second most economically conducted in the state. This is a high record. But for those who demand something greater, let it be pointed out that in point of scope and quality of school systems, we stand equal with any Franklin school and its plan of operation is the peer of any school in the south. School people from near and far come to look over its facilities with an idea to putting into effect their observations in their home cities. Architecturally, Franklin school is such that it has secured praise from the highest educators in the country. It is organized and conducted to fit the most rigorous and most advanced requirements of modern education.

How has this been brought about? Because Port Arthur's school system has been divorced from the control of politics. Results, methods, individuals, if they are competent count. There is a definite establishment of responsibility. There is no evading it. Result is that its personnel is on a high pitch of efficiency, and a score of states point to its operation as an ideal goal for their own achievement.

There is no more apt parallel for the city manager form of government than Port Arthur's school system.

Its superintendent of schools, appointed by the board of education, can be likened for results gained to the city manager. He gets direct action. He is responsible. Not a thing occurs within the school domain that he is not in close touch with. He is governed in action solely by the efficiency of the group of individuals of whom he has charge. There is a definite objective. Where efficiency of the individual under him is at fault another is appointed. The result is a school on a high plane of economical and efficient administration.

One argument against the city manager form advanced is that it would be impossible to get any individual to act on the city commission without pay. "No one will have time to devote their endeavors to the city welfare unless he is paid for it," it is argued.

Has it been impossible to secure representative and capable citizens for service as members of the school board without pay? Can it be said that administration of Port Arthur's school system is at fault because members of the school board are unable to devote their time in an advisory capacity to it without pay?

Members of the school board serve without pay to the community. There is a service by loyalty which is not governed by the consideration of gain. They do not feel that they must be paid by the month in order to make it possible for Port Arthur to have a school system.

ED PAGE—HERE AND THERE
CRIME.—In the penitentiary at Joliet, Ill., young Lee and Tempel become prisoners in the night school. They are teaching fellow convicts how to read, write, spell and do sums in arithmetic.

Does it surprise you that these convict students need such juvenile instruction? Ignorance is one of the three chief causes of crime. Others are poverty and mental diseases.

OVERWORK.—Famous strong man, Fred Beale, held 20 men at one time with his back. He died at the age of 28, which recalls that

he wrote a book, "Why Athletes Die Young."

Over-exercising of muscles and heart is why athletes die young.

Most people are very careful not to over-exert their muscles. Few of them need advice about not over-exercising their brains.

WEEK-ENDS.—A distinguished Englishman visits America. He was here years ago. He says the change he most notices is that Americans are learning to play. This is especially evidenced by "Saturday afternoon" and the growing custom of week-end recreation.

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tem SECOND IN EFFICIENCY TO NO SCHOOL SYSTEM IN THE STATE. It is an index of community standing. It has dignity. It is representative. Its members are proud to serve the community unpaid, because their election to office is the result of popular confidence in their ability to serve the best interests of all, AND THERE CAN BE NO IDEAL SERVICE IN CIVIC PROGRESS WHERE THE MOTIVE ATTACHED TO SUCH SERVICE IS THAT GOVERNED SOLELY BY PAY.

Port Arthur has a school system administered according to business methods.

What Port Arthur now needs is a city administration governed by the same business methods. It can be done by utilizing the same loyal man power in our midst. There are capable men in Port Arthur—working and business men who can give Port Arthur such an administration.

And in giving it they can set for themselves one of the greatest honors it is possible for any individual to achieve—that of dedicating their advisory abilities to the commonwealth, without pay, their only reward the grateful thanks and regard of the community which elected them to an office, not for a political salary but for a community's honor among their fellows.

OUR WATER PROBLEM

Finally, after more than a score of years, Port Arthur is setting about remedying its fresh water problem. We are growing bigger. The time is fast approaching when fresh water will be the saving factor of the industrial situation in our city. Certainly we can hope to gain few major industries when we are unable to give them fresh water. Like wise we can make no very attractive bid for population so long as we are compelled to draw salt water from kitchen faucets for domestic use.

Water, the cheapest thing in the world, probably, is Port Arthur's big problem. We shall have to pay out some good money before we reach a solution that will meet the test of plenty, price, and availability. But all three of these considerations can be met. But when we shall have established a condition of permanency which will be one of the greatest arguments which we can offer any plant, factory or business enterprise which considers locating here. And until we have met that need we may consider ourselves as having failed.

As originally outlined, measures to secure fresh water were governed by the needs of Port Arthur. The scope of this original plan has grown. Port Neches and Nederland need fresh water. Their present problem is similar to ours. Both cities are making rapid growth. It will not be long before each will have to face a quick solution of its water problem.

It was an excellent idea to consider the water problem from the angle of community and not strictly Port Arthur, need. As outlined before the meeting today the day is fast approaching when this entire district will extend, slowly merge, and finally become one in identity. Certainly now is a fitting time to anticipate it.

Three proposals appeared before the hearing today, making four which have been advanced—really five when it is considered that W. P. H. McFadden's offer had as alternative the suggestion for damming the lower reaches of Lake Sabine, installation of locks below Port Arthur to prevent salt water contamination through upper reaches, and conversion of that entire body into a huge fresh water reservoir. These are those of Joe Broussard, Will Carroll and W. P. H. McFadden, all three contemplating utilization of their pumping stations and rice canal or conduit systems to a reservoir here, and that of the Sabine river. There was nothing introduced finally to set at rest a score of engineering problems which might have indicated themselves to those attending that hearing. These, however, will be solved later, and out of the five proposals there should be found one of such major worth and import as to establish itself firmly for community backing.

The promising thing about the whole venture is that after a quarter of a century we are in a fair way to solve our needs which have been apparent every day of that quarter. We have, it is true, attempted solution before the present, but with ill fated results. But there should be material at hand for a common basis of community support and agreement, which will minimize objections and permit emphasizing advantages to such a standard as to find ardent boosters for it from all ranks.

Saturday's meeting, the second of the series under way, was productive of considerable good, from the standpoint of discussing understanding of the several projects. Gradually we will get to a point where we can center on one of them. This time will come when the virtues and short-comings of each are thoroughly thrashed out in public, and after expert minds have been truly called into play,

we will have a book, "Why Athletes Die Young."

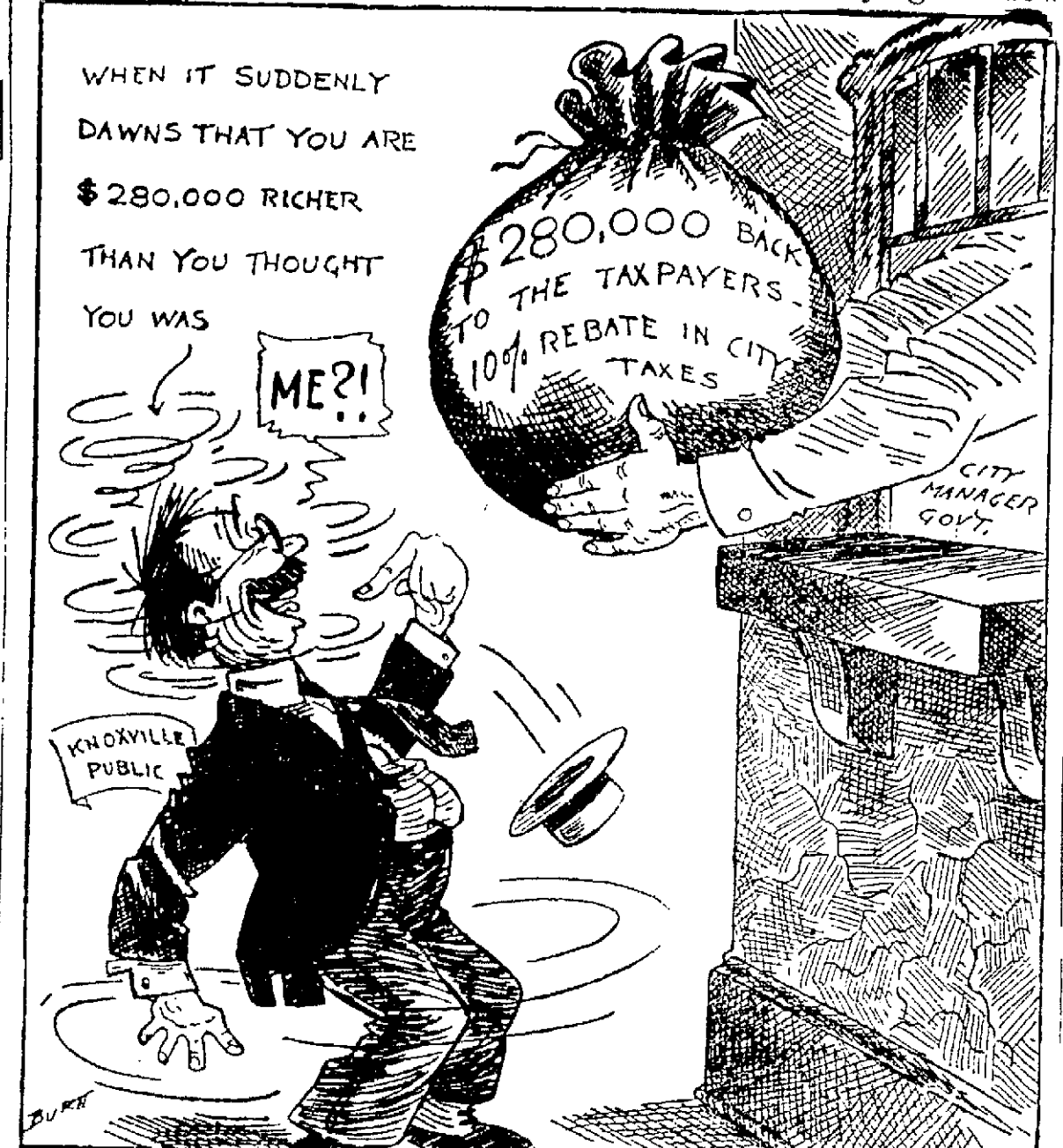
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Under City Manager Plan Receiving Window Becomes Paying Window



With Books and Their Makers

BY MARY E. DONALDSON
Librarian, Memorial Library
VIGOROUS action and colorful pictures of Alaska in 1866 are presented in Edison Marshall's new novel, "Seward's Folly."

Jefferson Sharp, an aristocratic and brilliant young southerner who had distinguished himself in the army of the Confederacy, is sent as a secret agent by Secretary of State Seward to block the proposed deal between the Hudson Bay company and the Russian American Fur company, which would make Alaska an English province. For Seward sees the value of Alaska and wants it for America.

Seward has selected Jeff because he is so strong, daring, handsome enough "to worm out secrets out of the ladies" and has inherited the making of a diplomat from his distinguished father. Seward considers the civil war ended and he declares to Jeff, "There can't be any north or south, or east or west from now on. Jeff—there can only be America."

Jeff accepts because he sees in it an opportunity "to deal the hated union a stinging blow and at the same time repay England for her late friendship to his homeland."

DARINGLY Jeff appears in Sitka at a masked ball wearing his Confederate uniform; and he is fascinated with the courtly manners prevailing in Russian society at Sitka. But little by little his eyes are opened; he sees Russia as she really is; he defies an English captain who attempts to board with armed men a little American vessel; and he actually does that for which Seward has sent him—blocks the Russian and English treaty so that the czar can sell Alaska to the United States.

He early incurs the enmity of Baron Karl, the principal stockholder of the Russian American company and practically dictator of Alaska. Several times it looks as though all is over with him; he is shot or sent to Siberia and his identity lost in a number. But each time "the girl" appears just in time to save him. She is a very remarkable girl capable of doing everything. In the end, however, she agrees to become the dutiful wife who will let Jeff do the managing.

The author's foreword warns the reader against taking too much of "Seward's Folly" historically. "No historical evidence exists that Secretary of State Seward was instrumental in blocking the treaty, and parts of the narrative dealing with the treaty are purely imaginary. Otherwise Mr. Seward is presented according to my most sincere interpretation of this profound and intricate situation of the time, the Sitka of 1867, and the various characters are as nearly true as can be seen through the mists of time."

Very well does the author show the value to America of her part of the hundred millions she gives to Russia. In more to Alaska, Jeff feels that he will have something to do, or at least he will have something to do with the people who are to live there. He calls her his Divine Lady, a name which she is superior to all.

He knows he must be dead of womanhood. Probably the most beautiful thing in the novel is the one which is the most beautiful thing in the novel. "What is a woman?" asks Emma. "What is a woman?" asks Emma. "What is a woman?" asks Emma.

if they don't have the light and shadow of the forest to keep them trained; their trigger finger will grow lax, their muscles soften. They must have a patch of woodland to clear for sowing; they must build a trail through the woods. It isn't such luxury as you had, Mr. Sharp, that makes America great. It is these that make breakers in the forest. And I don't know what will happen to us when the last of the land is tamed, and no trails are left to blaze."

"ONE of the most side-splitting yarns I ever read," is the way William Lyon Phelps characterizes "Leave it to Penitentiary," a recent book by P. G. Wodehouse. Penitentiary is tired of the fish business and his hard uncle who "judges his fellows solely by their devotion to fish" and whose "closest friends can hardly tell whether he more nearly resembles a halibut or a cod." He must find employment, so he inserts the following "ad" in the paper:

Do you want some one to manage your affairs, some one to take the dog out for a run? Some one to assassinate your aunt?

Penitentiary will do it! Leave it to Penitentiary!

He is engaged to steal Lady Constance Keble's necklace, for Lady Constance's husband needs three thousand pounds to help a runaway daughter who "judges his fellows solely by their devotion to fish" and whose "closest friends can hardly tell whether he more nearly resembles a halibut or a cod." He must find employment, so he inserts the following "ad" in the paper:

"THE DIVINE LADY" by E. Barrington is an absorbing novel of the famous and beautiful Lady Emma Hamilton, who, according to Lord Nelson, gave him the inspiration which enabled him to win the battle of Trafalgar. Nelson's last words were, "Take care of my poor Lady Hamilton," and on the eve of the battle of Trafalgar he wrote the famous codicil to his will in which he enumerated the services rendered by her to his country and to the world. How little did he understand the English people! Lady Hamilton died in disgrace and poverty.

Barrington's novel touches upon Emma's childhood in London, to which her beauty had lured her from the humble home of a village blacksmith. But the first vivid picture of her is the daring and high-spirited girl of eighteen who rides and conquers on a named horse. Getting into trouble while at the house of a boisterous friend, she becomes the help from a cultured young man, Grenville, Grenville's chief object in life is to acquire the beautiful, so he employs Emma as his housekeeper and her mother as his cook. He desires to make a lady of her and to this end he educates her. That her beauty may be preserved he engages her to the Romney to paint her. Three hundred times she gives to Romney. In more to Alaska, Jeff feels that he will have something to do, or at least he will have something to do with the people who are to live there. He calls her his Divine Lady, a name which she is superior to all.

He knows he must be dead of womanhood. Probably the most beautiful thing in the novel is the one which is the most beautiful thing in the novel. "What is a woman?" asks Emma. "What is a woman?" asks Emma. "What is a woman?" asks Emma.

Very well does the author show the value to America of her part of the hundred millions she gives to Russia. In more to Alaska, Jeff feels that he will have something to do, or at least he will have something to do with the people who are to live there. He calls her his Divine Lady, a name which she is superior to all.

Cynthia Gray

Says: - - -

MESINGS
Before marriage a man tells a girl how soulful her eyes are. Afterward he advises her not to darken her eyelashes.

A lot of women think that the world not only owes them a living but the price of a summer crime coat, a permanent wave and a matinee ticket besides.

The tragedy of women is that their hearts are so much younger than their faces.

The Russians have a proverb that says "Long hair and little brains." Which makes most of the girls nowadays intellectual giants.

To produce a happy child is more of an achievement than anything that was ever invented or painted, or written or set to music.

QUESTIONS—ANSWERS

Dear Miss Gray: Our young daughter of 8 is completely spoiled. Unless we take her to the movies about three times a week and let her do about as she pleases, she makes herself and us miserable. Is there anything you can suggest to help us?—Mother.

Yes, there is. For one thing she ought not to go to the movies often. Then once a month and then to a picture made just for children. The afternoon is the best time to go. Start in today to discipline her. But be gentle and don't let her know that you have made up your mind to "change things." Just go ahead quietly and do it.

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of her. He looks her and her mother in the face. In the end, however, she agrees to become the dutiful wife who will let Jeff do the managing.

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Wynne Ferguson
Author of
Ferguson on Auction Bridge
gives you these

EASY LESSONS IN AUCTION BRIDGE

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ARTICLE No. 6

If there is one thing about auction that is certain and undisputed, it is the fact that no perfect system of bidding has been or is likely ever to be invented. Almost any system if clearly understood by partners and intelligently played, will produce good results. The only difference between the different systems of bidding lies in the difference in the skill of the players advocating the different systems. The only thing that makes one system preferable to another is the fact that it is more easily understood and applied by the average player. The writer has known of many match games between experts advocating different systems and as a rule such matches have been more or less even. And it is very lucky that there is no perfect system of bidding. If there were, the game would soon lose its fascination and charm. No one likes to feel that the other fellow knows as much as he does and if the bidding were perfect, no one could put anything over.

What really makes auction so fascinating, however, is the uncertainty. Every bid, practically, is in the nature of a speculation or a gamble for there is no guarantee that the cards will not be so distributed that your bid, no matter how sound, cannot be made. For example, suppose you bid one heart, holding ace, king, queen to five and an outside ace. No one will say that such a bid is unsound under any system and yet you are doubled and lose 300 points. There were seven hearts in one hand against you. A bad break, but no one can say you made a bad bid. Here's another hand. The dealer bid one spade and second hand held the following:

Hearts—Q, J, 9, 8, 6, 4, 3
Clubs—8
Diamonds—K, Q, J, 6
Spades—A

and correctly bid two hearts. The dealer's partner doubled and defeated the contract 300 points, holding the remaining six hearts. These are bad breaks, of course, but show what happens even to the soundest of bids. Here's the other angle—winning by bad bidding. The dealer held a strong no-trump hand but only two little spades. Instead of bidding one no-trump, he bid two spades and was doubled by second hand. He then bid two no-trump and made three odd. Second hand and his partner had a set up spade suit but failed to lead it because of the dealer's bluff bid. A fine example of winning by bad bidding.

Still another example. The dealer bid one no-trump and second hand holding the following:

Hearts—10, 7
Clubs—7
Diamonds—A, K, Q, J, 10, 7, 5
Spades—Q, 8, 4

bid two spades on the theory that the dealer's partner, if he held a stopper in the spade suit, would undoubtedly bid two no-trump. It happened just as second hand had planned. The dealer's partner bid two no-trump, second hand doubled and defeated the contract by two tricks, making seven diamond tricks right off the reel. These examples of winning by bad bidding are given as a warning. Never try stunts of this kind for there's nothing in such bidding. If you win once, you are encouraged to try again and you cannot help but lose out in the long run. Learn some system well and understand it thoroughly. Once you have mastered it, stick to it and you will get results. The system you may choose is immaterial but the application is everything. Let your partner know what he can expect of you and you don't disappoint. Be dependable first, last and all the time.

Answer to Problem No. 3

Hearts—K, 8, 7, 3, 2
Clubs—None
Diamonds—None
Spades—A, 10

Hearts—Q, 6
Clubs—K, 10, 4, 2
Diamonds—None
Spades—Q

Hearts—None
Clubs—A, Q, 5
Diamonds—None
Spades—9, 5, 4, 2

There are no trumps and Z is in the lead. How can Y-Z win five of the seven tricks against any defense? Z should lead the deuce of spades and Y should follow with the queen to hold the trick. If A leads the six of spades Y should play the king and lead the deuce of hearts, forcing A back in the lead. Z should discard the five of clubs. A must then lead a club on which Y should discard the ace of spades so that Z will now win

the balance of the tricks. If A leads the queen of hearts at the second trick, Y should let him hold the trick and Z should discard the five of clubs. Now if A goes on with the hearts, Y will win every other trick. If A starts to a club, Y should discard the ace of spades as before and Z will then win the remaining tricks. It's a clever and tricky little problem.

What's Going on In the World

By CHARLES P. STEWART,
NEA Service Writer.

Trouble threatens in Egypt. Sir Lee Stack, English commander of the Egyptian army, was assassinated a few days ago. For years Egypt was practically an English subject country.

Recently she was given partial independence. Many Egyptians wanted to make it complete. It was to this agitation Stack's murder was due. Indications are England will retaliate by taking away some of the liberty Egypt enjoys now.

If so, the Egyptian government warns there will be a "crisis." Of course England can beat Egypt, but there might be a bloody fight.

Zinovieff

When Ramsey MacDonald retired as English premier he had on hand an Anglo-Russian trade treaty, drawn but not yet ratified by parliament. Now Stanley Baldwin, the new premier, has told Russia it won't be ratified because the Soviet government, through the "third international," is trying to start a revolution in England.

This was what Secretary of State Hughes said Russia was trying to do in America a year ago. Baldwin and Hughes based their charge on letters by President Zinovieff of the "third international." Zinovieff says they are forgeries.

Disarmament

France and Japan have thrown a rock through President Coolidge's plan for an international disarmament conference. They've intimated they prefer to leave disarmament to the league of nations. That seems to end it, considering that America doesn't belong to the league.

\$100,000,000

On the face of it, the J. P. Morgan \$200,000,000 loan of American money to France looks like a pretty good investment. Interest is 7 per cent and the loan is to be sold at 94 cents on the dollar. But if France can't pay what she owes now, how can she pay \$200,000,000 more?

Exclusive

The naval bureau of operations is quietly secreting concerning the tests leading to the sinking of the three-quarters completed battleship Washington off the Virginia capes. To be sure, facts enough are given out concerning the test's nature but nothing concerning their effect except in the most general way.

Officers of the operations bureau say they're finding out more than they ever knew before about what the latest type of fighting vessel can stand. The beauty of it is that it's information no other navy can obtain except by sinking a \$200,000,000 ship—that is, unless inside news of this

Tom Sims Says

A pretty girl was found in China, a few miles from a blank. Officers there said she is a college girl, but not because of it.

They say John D. Jr. made about \$111,000,000 in the Wall Street boom. Which was too bad. Think of the money tax.

Even though they had a water shortage in Los Angeles, most of the folks had their winter baths as taken.

An Illinois boarder poisoned his landlady instead of the opposite.

Some day we are going to shoot down a woman refusing to shoot her husband because it would wake up the baby.

Over \$100 in stamps was stolen from an Ohio postoffice by someone doing their Christmas mailing early.

Had news from Italy. Cold wave there. Fast short. Imagine having to eat cold spaghetti.

France and Germany have agreed on a tax. We don't know what tax, but when they agree on any tax it's news.

If you don't mix business and pleasure you don't get much of either.

Coldidge advises a treeless Christmas to save our forests, but he thinks treeless hunters would be better.

Thatcher's price is one of the best crops for growing from seed, providing the stuff is fit for selling.

A town in Scotland called Oa had been named by a man who had just lost a nickel.

It probably never will be known who threw the Wall Street bomb or started cross word puzzles.

40 RECORDS SET BY BOOM

Stock Exchange Has Sales of Over Million

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Forty new record high prices appeared in the half day session of the stock exchange today in the 21st day of the financial boom following the election.

At the close the stock ticker was 18 minutes behind in recording the day's transactions which ran 1,150,000 shares.

The advance carried to new high levels industrial stocks of every description.

Human Voice Is Created By Wizards

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—The deaf have long craved electrical aids to aid their hearing, and now, as an achievement of long scientific research, the speechless may talk with the assistance of a vest pocket larynx.

Hundreds of survivors of one of surgery's most delicate operations, the removal of the vocal chords as a cure for throat cancer, go about with their lungs functioning through a hole cut in their throats. As a result, they have lost their powers of speech.

Through the efforts of Dr. John Edmund Mackay, noted throat surgeon, and the research department of the Western Electric company, these victims have a ray of hope. They now may speak distinctly through a man-made voice-box, which may be carried in the pocket when not in use.

Monkeys and Bears Enlisted In War

PEKING, Nov. 29.—The bear and monkey brigade in the latest thing in modern warfare and more than 1,000 of the animals were recently transported to the North China front to expert "detection" work.

The monkeys, according to the papers, are doing rather well, becoming experts in finding hidden mines and "dangerous" traps. They are excellent scouts, say the reports, and they can climb over the mountain tops, sniff out the enemy long before he is within gun range and rush back with the warning.

The bears are experts on digging up and exposing hidden mines, according to the tale, in addition to being no mean snufflers when it comes to finding the enemy, as well as giving good account of themselves in actual combat.

Farmer Labels Stock For Deer Hunters

PARK FALLS, Wis., Nov. 29.—Some farmers apparently suffer from very deceptive eyesight or else need to take an elementary course in zoology, for in the northern part of the state have been found.

Deer hunters, who just returned from a hunting trip near Powell, tell of one farmer who has a unique method of procuring his livestock.

The farmer placed printed signs on the various animals and fowls bearing such information as: "This is a cow." "This is not a partridge, it is a goose." "This is not a deer, it is a pig." "This bull has horns, not antlers." "This is a tame cat, not a dog."

The farmer says the plan worked.

EDUCATION MAKES MORE WORK FOR LAUNDRIES

JOLIET, Ill., Nov. 29.—Education in home economies by the American housewife is credited with being an important factor in the increasing volume of business now being performed by the laundries, according to William E. Hinch, manager of the Laundry Owners National association, in his annual report to the executive committee of the organization.

The growth of the laundry industry in this country has been from 236 million dollars in 1910 to 249 million dollars in 1923.

BRIDE "LISTENS IN" AND ASKS DIVORCE

HOUSTON, Nov. 29.—Charles Lee Luby was so confident of his wife's love to another that two hours after his wedding, Mrs. J. M. Norwood, a June bride, has asked for a divorce.

The story of a few months' wedded life in district court that the bridegroom offered the excuse that he wanted to talk to a boy whom he had known since they were in kindergarten, just for company, she listened and the "boy" came to a "wedding" voice. Her husband proclaimed his love for the "boy" and proceeded to see "him" in a few months. Mrs. Norwood said.

JAPAN HAS CRIME WAVE OF ITS OWN

TOKYO, Nov. 29.—The coming of winter is accompanied by an increase of crime in Tokyo. The police report shows more frequent, a recent week-end having been particularly bad, with more than 200 cases of them in suburban districts.

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Scouting With the Boy Scouts

Gathering at the Sea Scout hut Friday night, Port Arthur Sea Scouts and Boy Scouts, with their officers, gave a farewell party for Capt. D. W. Eddy, scout executive, who resigned this position recently, effective Dec. 1. On behalf of the Sea Scouts, Capt. Roderick D. Steele, Sea Scout portmaster, gave a farewell address to Captain Eddy, setting forth the appreciation of the retiring scout executive had for the spirit and enthusiasm of the late captain. The farewell address to Captain Eddy on behalf of the Boy Scouts was given by Judge Robert A. Shivers.

At the close of the meeting in the Sea Scout hut, the scouts and officers turned out on the canal bank where games and campfire stories were played and told; and winners roasted until after 9:30 o'clock.

During the Thanksgiving holidays the Boy Scouts of Troop 6 have been working on their new hut, and Saturday night found the structure practically completed. The building is 20 by 40 feet, and under the direction of three carpenters, the scouts have been putting up the hut.

Reports of other scouting activities during the past week were made Saturday as follows:

TROOP 6.

K. of C. Sponsors.

George Seully, S. M.

Troop 6 was intending to hold its regular meeting but was surprised by the fact that the Sea Scouts, including Sea Scouts and the bicycle patrol, were going to have a winter roast and oyster bake. We left our headquarters and arrived in front of the Sea Scout hut on time. Before the winter roast any number had gathered inside of the hut and several of us slipped inside to see and hear what was going on. Captain Steele was called upon to deliver a little talk and it was very interesting, after which he presented a handsome gift to Captain Eddy, not as a going away gift but as a coming back here. We were impressed when Captain Steele said that "for every ounce of pleasure you are going to find one pound of sorrow" and we surely believe he is right. The captain also said you may meet a good friend like Captain Eddy and know him for a good long time and now he is leaving us. Meeting is a good thing, but when you part from a good man as useful as Captain Eddy you are sure to feel it. After the speech the Sea Scouts had all of the men and boys went out on the grounds in front of the hut and set around the campfire. Robert Shivers, our scout commissioner, was introduced to the hut and made a farewell speech in behalf of the scouts of Port Arthur to Captain Eddy. As the campfire burned and everyone sat attentively looking into them it looked as though Captain Eddy and all the scouts were thinking of the past. Captain Eddy then made a little talk. He assured us he never would forget us and mentioned that he had at least 500 pictures to keep his memory fresh at all times. Troop 6 certainly extends their best wishes to him wherever he goes and we hope to see him again.

Thanksgiving day found the members of Troop 6 with their able committee from the Fathers association starting the erection of the new and finest scout hut in this section of the state. The scouts took advantage of the holidays and to date everything is ready for the paint. The electric wires and general finishing touches will be finished today.

The hut is a dandy, 20 by 40 feet, and will be to the point in every respect. Over of the hut will be around 5000. The services of Mr. Sales, Mr. Rodriguez and others who have been so freely given are greatly appreciated. The boys have done all the work through their supervision and the

Fathers association has aided wonderfully. We expect to have the hut completed in a few days and a great dedication will be held when it is finished.

Lawrence Moreau, Scribe.

TROOP 14.

C. O. Farmer, Scoutmaster.

We met at the Congregational church Friday at 7 p. m. Twelve members were present. We discussed the rules and penalties for the contest we are going to have between patrol and decided to let it run until May 31, 1925. We were then advised that Captain Eddy was going to leave us and that a meeting had been arranged for all troops in town with the Sea Scout hut as the meeting place so everyone went down. We listened to a few speeches after which a winter roast was held. Everyone left the campfires with thoughts of Captain Eddy, pleasant thoughts though dimmed by the realization that it would probably be a long time before we ever saw him again. We wish him all the good wishes one can think of with a great big success on top of it whenever he goes.

Immanuel Farmer, Scribe.

TROOP 16.

St. George's Episcopal Church, Sponsors.

E. R. Clements, Scoutmaster.

We met at the old Methodist church which is to be our new hut, for the first time last Friday at 7 p. m. We had a good attendance as everyone seemed to come out to inspect our new quarters. Permission to use this place as our hut was granted by Mr. Baker and we certainly do thank him for the kindness and assure him we will take good care of the place. After talking us to attention, Scoutmaster Clements told us we were going down to the Sea Scout hut to have a farewell party for Captain Eddy. We piled in one of the boys car about 15 strong and those who could not find space inside piled on the sides and wheels. There were about 125 boys at the Sea Scout hut with their scoutmasters. Mr. Shivers gave their farewell speech and thanked the captain for his good services to scouting in Port Arthur and expressed regret for his leaving us and the regrets of the scouts at his leaving us. After this, winners were roasted around the big campfire, games were played and the bunch had it for their homes.

Troop 6 entertained our troop at a social and with basketball at the Franklin gym last Wednesday night. We wish to thank Troop 6 for their invitation and assure them we all enjoyed the games and social.

Don't forget your next meeting as it will be our first real meeting in the new hut.

J. C. Watkins, Scribe.

POPULAR HAT.

The better or bad type of hat made of velvet or very soft felt is very popular with women who display the latest fashions of the square crowned models.

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Bring this ad with you and you will be allowed a 10 per cent discount from our regular prices. This includes all linen from 10¢ per pair to \$3.00 per pair, even including our famous \$2.25 children's sets.

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We keep from the factories direct and through jobbing houses, we save you 30 to 40 per cent, and the lowest price is offered at attractive prices.

Don't fail to bring this ad for Monday's discount. Monday's ad good for Tuesday's discount.

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Girl Bandits Put Victim In Hospital

FALLS, Nov. 29.—Charging he had been attacked by two young women, he was taken to the hospital here for repairs. Raymond said that one of the hijacking Amazons punched him in the jaw and the other kicked him in the stomach. Physicians advised him to have an X-ray picture taken of his side after he had complained of violent pain in that section of his anatomy.

Broadcasting Snake Rattled To Death

STATE COLLEGE, Pa., Nov. 29.—Radio Kelly, the broadcasting rattlesnake, whose vibrant tail was once heard half way around the world, has rattled his death rattle.

Kelly was a five-foot diamond back, owned by Prof. George R. Green, nature study specialist of Pennsylvania State college.

Last spring he backed his talented 10-button tail up against a microphone at the State college station and thrummed a desert lay which experts from the music department identified as a melody of The Cowboy's Lament and The Dirty Little Coward Who Shot Mr. Howard.

Kelly was the first and thus far the only rattlesnake to broadcast the ominous oops of his breed, and this distinction eventually caused his extinction. For Kelly died of the rattles.

Prof. Green told Kelly rattled himself to death. Students and visitors could not pass his cage without making him rattle, and he died of exhaustion.

ALL PLANES WELCOME AT FORD'S AIRPORT

DETROIT, Nov. 29.—A new airplane landing field, the donation of Henry and Edsel Ford, which was recently completed at Dearborn, will be known as Ford airport. The dedication is purely in the interest of commercial aviation. It is understood there is no intention of the Ford company to go into the airplane business, other than to watch its development.

All pilots will be welcome at the field. It is large enough to take care of the largest types of ships.

U. S. COFFEE IMPORTS JUMPS 10 MILLION BAGS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—Imports of higher priced coffee from Brazil to the United States in the first eight months of 1924 increased by 10,000,000 bags over the same period of 1923.

GETS 99 BUSHELS OF WHEAT TO THE ACRE

LETHBRIDGE, Alberta, Nov. 29.—N. J. Brown, operating a farm at Hill Springs, has secured a total yield of 99 bushels of wheat to the acre on 56 acres within the past two seasons.

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Combining practicality with beauty, a set of Dishes from the Weller's stocks gives you the utmost in a real gift expression. Foremost are these beautiful sets at:

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Monday Special—\$2.00 Mama Doll with hair **\$1.48**

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\$65.00 value **\$58.50**

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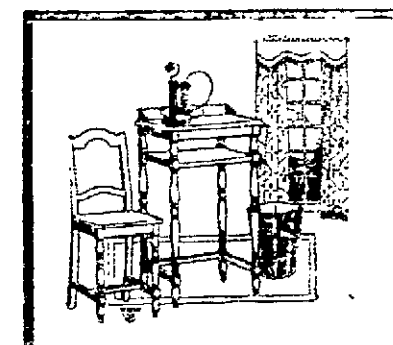
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\$85.00 value **\$76.50**

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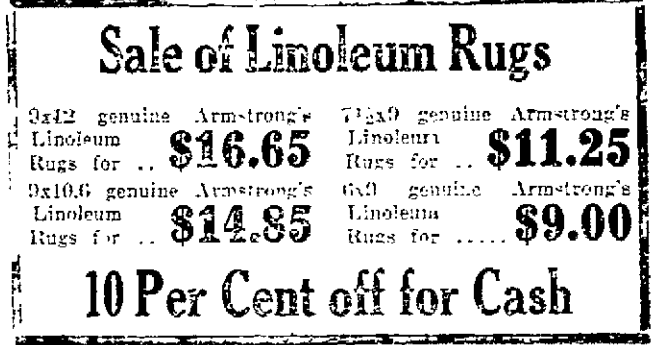
You know the superior qualities of the famous McDougall kitchen cabinet. You know how many women in Port Arthur will readily recommend them. They are the supreme achievement of the cabinet makers of the world, and now comes the opportunity to get one at a reduction. Make haste, for this offer comes only once a year.



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\$10 value reduced to **\$8.95**
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9x12 genuine Armstrong's Linoleum Rugs for **\$16.65**
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Rugs on Sale	Rugs on Sale
9x12 Tapestry Rugs, \$27.50 value for \$23.25	9x12 Velvet Rugs, \$125.00 value for \$105.00
9x12 Tapestry Rugs, \$25.00 value for \$22.75	9x12 Velvet Rugs, \$137.50 value for \$110.00
9x12 Velvet Rugs, \$25.00 value for \$22.75	9x12 Velvet Rugs, \$147.50 value for \$118.00
9x12 Velvet Rugs, \$27.50 value for \$24.625	9x12 Velvet Rugs, \$157.50 value for \$126.50
9x12 Velvet Rugs, \$25.00 value for \$22.75	9x12 Velvet Rugs, \$207.50 value for \$172.25

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Now is the time to improve your home with the addition of a handsome mahogany finished console table and attractive mirror, for they're included in this great Pre-Inventory Sale at a record low price! Just a few—so come early!

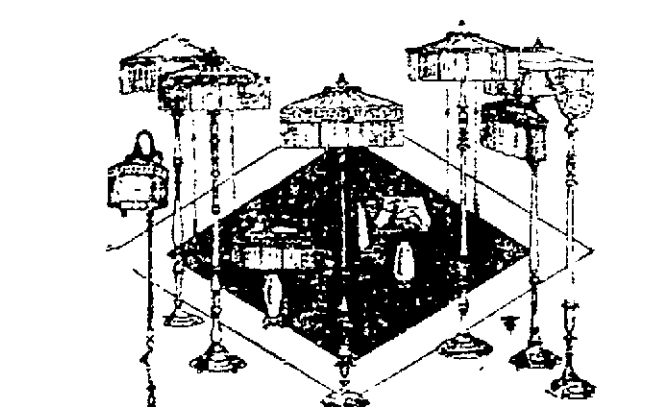
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A very precious gift for Christmas or any other time. They are here in many pleasing styles, all reduced:

\$38.50 Tea Wagons now **\$27.50**
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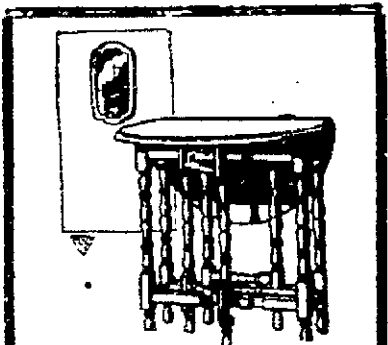


Floor Lamps for Christmas Gifts They're On Sale

Most beautiful and charming are the many attractive lamps now in our stock, they are each one distinctive, full of newness and style. They are reduced as follows:

Regent \$22.50 Floor Lamps for **\$19.75**
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Regular \$27.50 Floor Lamps for **\$23.25**

All other lamps in values up to \$75.00 reduced in proportion.

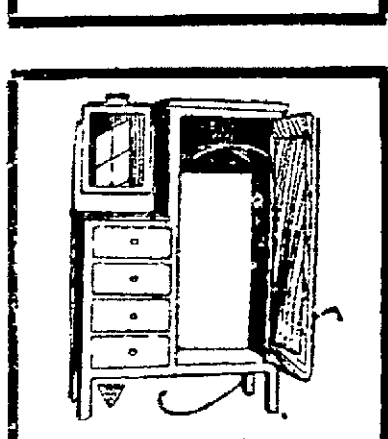


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Regular \$27.50 gate leg tables as pictured special for **\$23.50**

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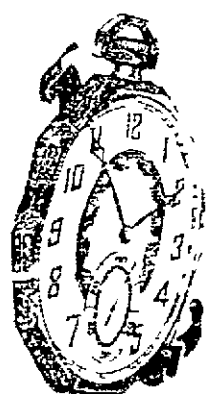
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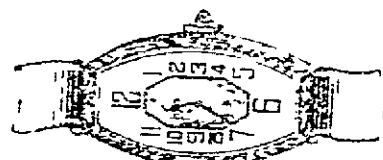
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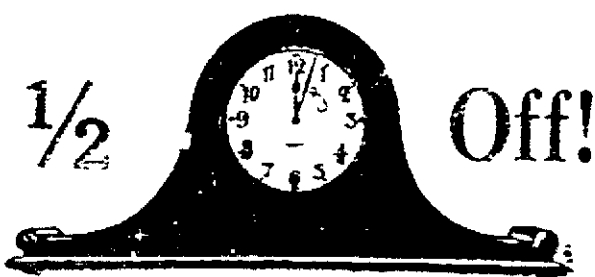
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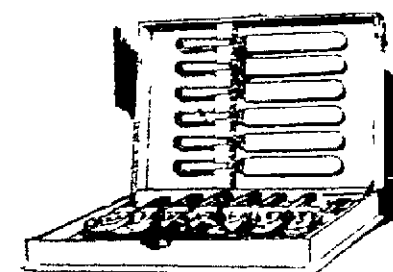


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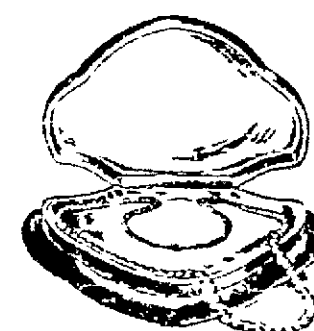
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Wharf Materials Rejected As Defective

BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—Because of rain, spikes and other materials that were to have been used in the construction of the Beaumont wharf improvements were rejected as defective by the engineers in charge of the work, suit for \$2146 with interest at 6 per cent was filed in the 60th district court here yesterday by the Houston Construction Co. in a suit against Graves and MacFarlane. According to the petition, the materials ordered were rejected by the engineers and the suit was brought to cover the amount paid for them.

COURT DOCKET

Suits Filed

M. Smith v. Zelma Weaver, et al.
Texas Employers Insurance company v. Louis Melanson
Marriage License
Isabel Rosa and Anita Sanchez, Charles Phillips and Mrs. Cecil Palmer White.
Byron Adams and Mrs. Sylvia Alice Loden
Joe Poletti and Miss Margaret Wilson
Horace Campbell and Ida Harritt.
Morris Gilbert and Beama Davis.
J. D. Guidry and Miss Mildred Duff.
Alice Bernard and Cecelia Combs.
Kirby Lee McLaughlin and Miss Marion Louise Harris.
C. H. Hastings and Mrs. Rosie Ladd.

Divorces Granted

Mrs. Blanche Grammer from J. E. Grammer.
Charles Hastings from Nettie Hastings.
L. Fisher from Emma Fisher.

South Texas Fair Shows \$12,826 Profit

BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—A report of the South Texas fair was read to the directors here showing a net profit of \$12,826. The 1923 report showed a profit of \$12,826.37, and \$9,147.75 in the previous year.

Officers will not be elected until E. C. Bracken, secretary of the association and Joe Clemmons, president, return from the fair officials meeting in Chicago, which will be held in December. Bracken will direct the affairs of the 1925 exhibition with Marshall Walker and W. M. Cook named as new members.

NURSES TO PUT ON MUSICAL PROGRAM

BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—The graduate nurses association of district 12 embracing Beaumont, Port Arthur and Orange voted to sponsor a musical to be given the early part of December at their meeting here last night. Further plans for the affair will be made at the next regular meeting of the organization which will be held at Hotel Port Arthur and Mrs. E. Bledsoe of Port Arthur and Mrs. Estelle Chapman, county probation officer, have been announced as speakers for this occasion.

Port Arthur Man Gets Year On Rum Charge

BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—F. Dubon, of Port Arthur, was given a year's sentence on a charge of the unlawful manufacture of liquor but was granted a new trial by Judge George O'Brien in 55th district court. Dubon was indicted Nov. 20, 1923, and found guilty.

An application for a new trial for Elbert Gates was also placed before Judge O'Brien yesterday. Gates was tried four times on charges of possessing forged instruments with intent to pass them. He was given a suspended sentence on one charge and three years sentence on another and a new trial on the third. Judge O'Brien allowed him a new trial in one instance and overruled the other two applications. Notice of appeal was given in the case of criminal appeal.

Brass Key Scares Off Street Bandits

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 29.—U. S. deputy brass key, a seaman turned detective, on a couple of highwaymen who stole him here, when he showed the key for a pistol and without hesitating him, police reported. During the past few days street bandits beat Raymond Loden, a grocer, at 1219 North Peters street, a grocer, after robbing him, and a taxi, a bright red one, and three William James, a seaman, from his cab near the waterfront here.

MRS. M. C. LOGENBAUGH DIES AFTER ILLNESS

CHOWLEY, La., Nov. 29.—Mrs. Melvin C. Logenbaugh, 61, died at her residence here after an illness of one week. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church. Mrs. Logenbaugh was a native of this state. She is survived by her husband and five children, her mother, Mrs. J. S. Bailey, of Kinder, three sisters and one brother.

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40 CRIMINAL CASES REMAIN

Federal Docket Is Nearly Cleared Up

BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—First judge W. L. Foster will have for his court cases to hear a number of criminal cases to be heard in the 60th district court here. There are now less than 40 cases on the entire criminal docket, an unusually small number. A total of 148 cases have been entered in the past two weeks. Of this number, 69 defendants entered pleas of guilty. It was reported by Judge Foster that these cases were cleared up.

The majority of the cases filed have been for violations of the liquor laws. Defendants are sentenced, with some exceptions, to 12 months in the penitentiary. Two automobiles, a truck, a launch and a boat were ordered sold, after they had been confiscated by the law officers.

A number of cases were set for hearing on December 1, but on account of the ill health of Judge W. L. Foster they were carried over until next week when they will be called again. Jurors were called to report for service again Nov. 29.

County Jury Fund Is All Used Up

BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—In the 60th district court, county jurors are paid for approximately \$4,000 for November, and although the jury fund is depleted, jurors will be paid from other funds until the new collection are received, according to County Treasurer H. L. Williams. Whether or not jurors will be paid for their services before the new year collections were received was discussed at a commissioners court meeting and a decision made to borrow \$5000 from the general fund. It is expected that the fund will be replenished by the end of November.

FRENCH SCHOOL BONDS ARE SIGNED BY JUDGE

BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—The \$500,000 French school bonds were received and signed today by Judge B. B. Johnson. The bonds were voted several weeks ago for the purpose of building a new school, similar to the one at New Orleans, in the French district. The bonds will be sent to Austin on Monday and return construction on the school will begin as soon as the bonds are received.

SMALL TUMORS

Several pictures of a patient of aged 60 who had small tumors on the face and neck.

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OFFICER FACES FOUR CHARGES

Accused of Taking Money From Women

BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—Four charges of swindling, embezzlement, and theft were filed in county court at law yesterday against former Deputy Constable L. P. Johnson of Port Arthur. The indictments were returned following testimony of witnesses who testified Johnson had arrested Port Arthur women on vagrancy charges and had received money from them.

The amounts Johnson is charged with appropriating were all less than \$20, and for this reason the case will not be taken to the district court. Johnson served as a deputy constable to H. F. Baker. He has not as yet been arrested and Sheriff Tom Gentry stated today that in his opinion Johnson had left the state.

PRIEST RETURNS FROM HIS VISIT TO FRANCE

BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—Rev. Father A. S. Douce, pastor of St. Joseph's church, has returned to this city after an absence of six months spent in France visiting relatives. Father Douce has served this parish for the past 25 years, having celebrated his silver anniversary as pastor of St. Joseph's just prior to leaving for his trip to France.

12,000 TELEPHONES INSTALLED IN YEAR

NEW ORLEANS, La., Nov. 29.—Thus far this year, 12,000 additional telephones have been added by the company operating in this city. The Association of Commerce, in its bulletin, points to the increase in telephones as an index to the growth of the population and increased prosperity of the city. This number is greater than the total number installed in the three previous years.

Swindler's Wife Rich, Sentimentalists Learn

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—The sentimentalists who have been wringing their hands over the plight of Mrs. Leo Kuretz, the wife of the Bavarian swindler, are looking around for something else to cry about.

It has been discovered that Mrs. Kuretz was not left entirely without funds when her husband fled Chicago last winter, taking with him some \$2,000,000 belonging to investors in a mythical wonderland in Panama.

Now that Leo has been apprehended in Italy and is en route to the court, it will be the truth about the plight of Mrs. Kuretz has been discovered. She not only owns a comfortable new white sedan limousine, but she also owns and drives an automobile and has a maid.

While more or less silk is being worn as popular as satin and crepe de chine for evening gowns.

PORT NECHES BABY CLINIC IS SUCCESS

BEAUMONT, Nov. 29.—A special clinic at Port Neches was held Friday by Dr. J. D. Blooms and Mrs. Charles Taylor, of Port Arthur. There were 10 babies at the clinic and a few examinations of adults were also made. Five babies were visited by county health officers last week and examination were made at Nederland, Rosenberg, South Park, China and Amelia. One child clinic was also held during the week.

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Margaret Lee Wiley, 19, is a full-fledged faculty member at the College of Industrial Arts of Texas. She teaches English and is recognized as the youngest college professor in all the southwest.

Captures Man After Three Year Watch

GEORGE D. NOLAN, Police Captain Les Fox and special officer Plummer arrested a negro yesterday afternoon near Harding avenue and the north street on the west side, who was wanted here on a highjacking charge which is three years old.

The negro gave his name, according to Plummer, as Charles Barton. He is one of a trio arrested in connection with a holding in the negro section in 1921. Following the arrest, according to Plummer, Barton pulled a gun and after firing two shots, made his escape.

Since that time the officer has been keeping a watch for him.

LAKE CHARLES MAN HURT IN ACCIDENT

LAKE CHARLES, La., Nov. 29.—His left arm broken when his automobile was skidded and went into the ditch, George D. Nolan, of this city, 68 in a hospital at Baton Rouge where he was removed for medical attention after the accident. Accompanied by Frank Sharrick, Nolan was on his way to see the L. S. U. and Tulane game at Baton Rouge when the accident occurred.

YOUNG HUNTER SHOOTS HIMSELF ACCIDENTALLY

MONROE, La., Nov. 29.—Henry Collier, 14, son of Henry W. Collier, accidentally shot himself in the abdomen and right arm when he poked up a shotgun lying in the bottom of a trunk. The lad had started on a hunting trip, and was near his home when the accident occurred. Attending physicians reported his condition as serious.

The very newest ideas have high velvet collars and button down the back with a row of buttons set very close to each other.

BOUND OVER ON THEFT CHARGE

Man Held In Connection With Stolen Auto

A young man giving his name as C. P. Masters, who was returned from Orange Sunday night by Constable Parsley and Police Captain Fox, waived preliminary hearing in justice court Saturday and was bound over to the grand jury on a charge of stealing an auto truck belonging to C. Vister of this city Wednesday night.

The truck was stolen the night of the robbery of the Fawcett millinery store at 719 Procter street, and as the Orange authorities stated in their message that some clothing was found in the car, an effort was made to connect the prisoner with the burglary.

Parsley said that the clothing was claimed by the man under arrest and that he had nothing to connect him with the burglary. The officer said that the prisoner gave his home address as Jacksonville, Fla., and said that he was a wireless operator, and towboat man out of work and that he took the truck to make his way across the country.

HE'S BOOTLEGGER SO HE CAN PAY BIG

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Because Thomas C. Craven is a bootlegger he is able to pay \$1,000 monthly alimony and \$1,000 counsel fees to his wife, Mrs. Elsie B. Craven, Justice Taylor was told in White Plains supreme court before he adjudged Craven in contempt for failing to make remittances to Mrs. Craven, and directed Sheriff Arthur S. Mandlin to lock him up.

"What's this man's occupation that he can pay \$1,000 a month alimony and \$1,000 counsel fees?" Justice Taylor asked.

"He's a bootlegger, your honor," Robert Bugdman, counsel for Mrs. Craven replied.

VELVET TUNG.

A long velvet tunic slashed in the front to show the under-plaid of printed silk is a favorite of fashion at the present time.

CORDED SILK USED.

Velvetized is very smart this season and all trimmings nothing is more effective than corded silk in the same shade as the frock.

WOMAN AND CHILDREN NEAR DEATH IN CRASH

SHREVEPORT, La., Nov. 29.—A narrow escape from death was experienced by Dr. Katherine Woodward and Dr. Julian Matlier, women physicians, of Monroe, and three children when an automobile in which they were riding turned turtle on the highway near Minden, La. The machine rolled over a steep embankment, pinning the occupants underneath where they were held until passing motorists assisted them. The women were unconscious, but not seriously injured.

NATIONAL GUARDS SHOW GAIN IN 1924

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 29.—Through "unwavering zeal of the personnel" the national guard component of the United States army scored a 15 per cent increase in strength during the 1924 fiscal year. Maj. Gen. George C. Rickards, chief of the militia bureau, informed Secretary Weeks in his annual report. The aggregate strength of the guard June

30, 1924, was 176,322, he said, due to recognition of new units by the federal government, the increase therefore being "a legitimate and permanent expansion."

Wrinkles Removed in 15 Minutes—Cost 3 Cents!

Quite a sensation has been created in certain social circles over the wonderful rejuvenating effects of a simple tarroot mixture which any woman can easily apply at home. The results are so remarkable that one has told others, who in turn have told many more; and now the method bids fair to supersede all the patent "wrinkle removers," massage and other things used for the purpose.

This is the procedure: A spoonful of powdered tarroot is mixed with a spoonful of lemon juice, and this is spread over the face. An amazing transformation takes place, as the mirror shows. In less than 15 minutes wrinkles, crowfeet and creases have completely vanished! Facial contour is noticeably improved and the face looks years younger. The most beautiful massage could not produce such a wholesome effect as remains after the mixture has been washed off. Tarroot is of course perfectly harmless. Inexpensive, too. An original package from the druggist contains sufficient to bring the cost per treatment under 3 cents.—Adv.

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MANY CITIES REPORTED OUT AFTER BERTH OFFERED PORT ARTHUR IN TEXAS LEAGUE LOOP, BUT J. DOAK ROBERTS AWAITING REPLY FROM HERE

Pirates Leave Early Today to Clash With Galveston

Captain Plettman Back To Lead Pt. Arthurians

MEMBERS of the Pirate football report at the city interurban station this morning at 7 o'clock to leave Port Arthur en route for Galveston, where the "pride of Port Arthur football contingents" meets the fast Hurricane squad in a classic at Galveston this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

From Beaumont, the Pirates will secure transportation over the Southern Pacific railway, leaving Beaumont at 8:30 o'clock. On their return to Beaumont Sunday night, the team will ride an interurban especially held over for them to make the trip back here to the city.

Carry Strong Lineup.
One of the strongest lineups the Pirates could muster together for the trip are scheduled to appear in Galveston to represent the contingent there. The team will again be headed by Captain Plettman, who has returned to the lineup, after an illness that kept him from the game for several weeks.

Galveston had not lost a game in two seasons when the squad went down in defeat here last Sunday, 15 and 0. And the Hurricanes have never been defeated on their home ground. The game today, with the Pirates the only team remaining a victor over them and one of the few which have emerged with a tie game, should be one of the biggest drawing cards Galveston has ever staged in a sporting way.

Bernardi, Stewart Play.
Big Tom Bernardi, "The Gas House Wop," and Jim Stewart, both professional wrestlers, will be in the Pirate lineup this afternoon when Captain Plettman sends them crashing into the Hurricanes for the third time this season, while Billy Palmer, Toakum, Eddie Dupuy and Kink J. Davidson will probably constitute the backfield. Plettman, Grady Stewart, Moore, Plettman, Peveto and Lackey will probably get whacks at the line during the melee.

Many Port Arthurians who have followed the Pirates for years ago are expected to make the trip with the boys today and to see the game at Galveston, which should develop one of the toughest battles of the season.

South Park Is 'Ext.'
Upon their return to Port Arthur, the Pirates will immediately go into training for the South Park college football game, which will be played on Pleasure Island gridiron here next Saturday. The College team need no introduction in Port Arthur; they are Port Arthur's next door neighbors, and have been playing one of the nearest schedules in this section. Many of this city have seen them play this year, and have appreciated the big strides Budd Johnson, former captain of the famed Texas Aggies, has made in football education at the junior school.

PIGSKIN PRIMER

What is done if on the kickoff the ball goes out of bounds before it is touched by any player or before it crosses the goal line?

The ball is brought back and kicked off again. If, on the second attempt, it also goes out of bounds it is given to the kicking side, who shall put it in play by scrimmage at their 40-yard line at a point equidistant from the side line.

If a ball on a punt goes out of bounds, then takes a reverse English and comes back into the playing field, it is regarded in play.

The ball is not in play. The moment the ball comes out of bounds without being touched, it immediately becomes dead, goes to the side that did not kick it, at the point where it is out of bounds. The fact that the ball bounded back after once going out of bounds is given no consideration.

How is the ball put into play after it goes out of bounds on a punt?

It is brought in 15 yards at a point at right angles with the side line and the spot it went out of bounds. The distance may be less than 15 yards but not less than five.

SAYS HELEN TO RULE LONG

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—William Tilden insists he is unable to "let" at this time who is the most promising young tennis player in the country.

If he thinks Vincent Richards is destined to be his successor Tilden does not say so.

Tilden, however, is outspoken in his praise of Helen Willis, the girl champion from California.

"I think she'll develop into one of the greatest women players of all time," says Tilden. "She is not yet at the top of her game. No one will beat her for at least five years."

MURDER IS LAID TO CHICAGO BEER WAR

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Search was instituted here tonight for four men one of whom shot and killed Walter LaTelle, 36, an expressman. The shooting followed a quarrel in a downtown soft drink parlor.

Police are inclined to link the murder with the beer war which has been raging in this city for the past few months.

'BOY EMPEROR' FLEES TO JAPANESE LEGATION

PEKIN, Nov. 29.—Huang Fung, the "boy emperor" who recently abdicated his right to the throne and was given his freedom by the new administration, took refuge in the Japanese legation here today.

Billy Evans Says—

The Football Coach No Longer Soft Job Western Methods Popular The Baseball Tangle

Picking all star football teams will be all the rage for the next few weeks. In every section of the country the experts in that particular locality will select teams heaping on certain groups of colleges.

Teams from the Big Ten, the east, the Missouri Valley, the Pacific coast, the south, the southwest and so on down the line, will be done by the well known authorities in each section.

These all star teams are more or less the outgrowth of Walter Camp's original All-America eleven.

It is also customary for many of the grid experts to do an All-America team. Some of these teams may have more merit than the one selected by the illustrious Mr. Camp. Yet it must be admitted that none command the same standing since they are imitations not the original.

At one time Mr. Camp's teams were made up entirely of Yale, Harvard and Princeton players. Of late years, however, it has been generally admitted that they do play good football west of Pittsburgh.

It is some job to pick an all-star football team. There are many reasons.

In the first place it is impossible to secure more than a dozen worthwhile games during the football season.

If a different set of teams were seen in action in each game, it would be impossible to pass opinion on more than 24 of them.

It has been figured that there are in the neighborhood of 200 major colleges in the United States. Some experts figure that there are many more than that.

Thus it is a very easy matter to see what a difficult job it is to select an All-America team from say 200 colleges, when at best it is impossible to see more than 24 or about one-eighth of them play.

The value of such a team is, therefore, decidedly questionable. The ability of many players is so nearly equal that to make a preference is in many cases very unfair.

However, these all star teams, whether they relate only to college, university and high school, have become more or less institutions. The public expects them, seems to like them, so the football experts must comply.

One of the latest ways to make an all-star selection is to get a consensus of active participants in the game, say, the coaches and officials.

These men are as a rule former grid stars, highly capable of possible expert opinion. The selections of all-star teams, based on their deeds, are usually representative combinations.

The public likes this feature of sport. That being the case, grumbling all-star teams are certain to continue indefinitely.

As a matter of fact the idea has spread to the theater. For several years, the dramatic and movie critics have been putting on a stunt called the ten or twelve best shows of the year.

These productions are merely an elaboration of the all star idea in sport.

No sport is easier to pick an all-star team in than baseball. Play extends over a period of six months instead of only a few weeks and the expert always has complete statistics to guide him.

Incidentally baseball is the one sport where the spectator figures he is just as wise as any of the so-called experts.

WIFE THINKS HUSBY IS HELD PRISONER

NEW ROCHELLE, N. Y., Nov. 29.—Alice Jones Rhineland, whom Leonard K. Rhineland is suing for annulment of their marriage, proclaimed today through her counsel belief that her husband is being held a prisoner somewhere by his family.

Announcing that young Mrs. Rhineland would fight the suit on the ground she was legally insane in New York state at any rate.

THE MEAN OLD THING!



THIS photo shows Ben Newman, the Willie Hoppe of English billiards, playing a shot in a recent match with Alex Smith, a supposedly formidable challenger. In this match, however, Smith played the part of the innocent bystander. Newman ran 669 points up without giving Smith a single chance to make a button.

Gene Tunney Develops Latest Punch for America's Prize Ring

A new punch has been introduced in the boxing game—the liver punch. It is the first new punch since Bob Fitzsimmons exploded his famous solar plexus in Jim Corbett's midsection at Carson City, Nev., back in the late 90's.

Gene Tunney, light heavyweight champion of America, is the author of the new punch. In reality it is a variation of the solar plexus. The attack is directed on the same region. Instead of firing directly at the solar plexus, Tunney shifts somewhat to the side and strikes the liver.

Tunney, analyst and thinker, claims to have gone into minute detail with experts on the effect of various punches. His investigations led him to concentrate on the liver. "No blow when properly and fully landed causes a more instantaneous or complete nerve paralysis," insists Tunney.

Carpenier was dropped by a liver punch in his fight at the Polo Grounds last summer. Tunney caught the Frenchman coming in and hooked a left to the liver. Carpenier dropped to the canvas, writhing with pain and clenching a fowl. It was half an hour before he was himself again.

Tunney says he got his greatest thrill in that fight. It was a sort of positive thrill. Tunney had heard much of Carpenier's great right hand. What's more he had seen the Frenchman drop Levinsky with it and send Dempsey scampering backward across the ring.

"I had plenty of reason to respect it," admits Tunney, "and I was careful every second to keep out of the way. But in the third round it came over a long swinging right that missed me on the point of the jaw, fully expected to crumple and pass out without further ceremony."

"To my surprise I found that aside from a fleeting sense of dizziness it hadn't bothered me at all. It was a thrill because I had never been cracked by a real puncher before. Before that fight I hadn't been any too sure that I could take it."

Tunney's best weapon is a left hook to the body. This is the blow with which he lands his liver punch. "I concentrate entirely on body punches if it weren't for the fans," he says.

Others seem to get a bigger thrill out of head punches. Maybe it's because they like to hear the glove smack against the jaw.

While Tunney is a capable fighter he is in no sense a great one. This is strange, too, because he is mentally keen, a hard hitter and undeniably game.

A "gentleman fighter" is probably all right but Tunney gives you the impression of being the real thing in the ring. You can imagine how far a "gentleman fighter" is going to get against men like Dempsey, Willis and other man-handlers. These names are mentioned because Tunney is talking of entering the heavyweight division next year.

What Tunney lacks is the savage instinct, the primitive emotion which sends a batter advancing to mauling with the determination to win by a knockout or lose that way. Tunney is entirely lacking in this quality and until he gets it he will never be a great fighter.

In the Carpenier fight Tunney plainly showed his weakness. Once in the tenth round he had the Frenchman belted but instead of crowding forward with all guns blazing, after the manner of a relentless "killer," Tunney, the gentleman, stepped backward and waited until his victim had regained his senses.

MUNITIONS EXPLODE IN GERMAN BARRACKS

REGENSBURG, Germany, Nov. 29.—Great quantities of munition in the Reichswehr barracks here exploded today, practically destroying the building. Incendiarism is suspected.

H. M. HUBER

Contracting Painter and Paperhanger
Phones 493 and 2067-W

Good Scrap Promised in City Basketball Games Monday Eve

What promises to be one of the best scraps of the local city basketball season will probably be played in the gymnasium of the high school Monday night at 7:30 o'clock when the Methodists and the Independents, in the City League loop, come together for their first encounter of the season. Both teams are undefeated thus far in the race for titular honors, the Methodists having won three games while the Independents, who have enlisted in the same number, hold their own in the 1,000 per cent column as well.

Basketball followers here are looking forward to this one encounter alone as furnishing plenty of thrills for the evening court, while a separate bill in the game between the Canadian Club and the Bankers will also be on the evening's menu.

To Charge Gate Fee
Officials of the league announced last night that owing to certain expenses encountered in the operation of the league, and because of a nominal expense in using the gym of the local schools here, that in the future it would be necessary to exact a small charge for the games. Fans are urged to turn out and support the league, but attention is called to the fact that a gate fee will be charged.

Standing of the teams, together with the card which will be presented here Monday evening at another chapter in the City League's race, follow:

STANDING OF TEAMS	
South Methodists	Won 3 Lost 0 1000
Independents	3 0 1000
Lepistans	2 2 333
Canadian Club	0 2 000
Bankers	0 3 000

Games for December 1
Canadian Club versus Bankers.
South Methodists versus Independents.

IS 'SPEAKER' OF GRIDIRON

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—The Tri-Speaker of football.

That is what they call Captain Ray McGraw of the University of Pennsylvania team.

In baseball Speaker gained fame by playing the shortest center field ever attempted by a big leaguer.

Fleet of foot, an uncanny judge of fly balls, Speaker is able to play the outfield a bit differently than any other player in the history of the game.

Fandom would shudder at the closeness with which Speaker played, to the infield with some hard "litter at the bat. Yet for years and years no player ever succeeded in hitting a ball over Speaker's head.

Playing in close had many advantages. It enabled Speaker to catch short fly balls that would have been base hits with any one else, also makes possible for him to handle ground balls more quickly, thereby holding the advancement of base runners to the minimum.

Captain McGraw of Pennsylvania pulls the Speaker stuff. He plays close up to his line so as to be in a position to help the defense.

When a punter is in the air he comes back a much shorter distance than most punters, banking on his speed and unerring accuracy in handing the ball. Incidentally he prefers to catch punts over his shoulders, which enables him to describe a wide arc and keep going at full speed rather than starting from a dead stop.

It's a rather unique idea that has proved a success with McGraw.

TEXAS STATE FAIR EARNS HALF MILLION

DALLAS, Nov. 29.—The 1924 Texas State fair made net profits of \$82,210.93, according to reports of Secretary W. H. Stratton, submitted to the fair association board of directors today.

Total income was \$305,057.47; expenses were \$222,846.54; permanent improvements costing \$82,561.99 were made, the report showed.

NIGHT GOWNS

Very attractive night gowns are made of satin brocade crepe. They are finished with a pilot edge and untrimmed save for a bouquet of French flowers.

TIME TO SHOP

We offer a reward of a thousand practical Christmas gifts to any shopper who enters our store from now until Christmas.

If it's for sunny or dad, get it here.

G. W. Imhoff & Co.

It's the Cut of Your Clothes That Counts

BELGIANS!



MAURICE DE WOLFE WITH INHERIT OF HARRY STOCKLYNCH

A Belgian team is counted on as one of the most feared combinations in this year's six-day bike race in Madison Square Garden, New York. The team is made up of Maurice de Wolfe and Harry Stockly.

COLOR SCHEME WAS PROBLEM FOR GERMANS

BERLIN, Nov. 29.—Wishing to honor Hugo Eckener, the Berlin newspaper publishers had a colorful story to tell today. They wanted to present the Zeppelin pilot with a wreath with the republican colors. Eckener didn't approve the red, black and gold. The press feared that use of the monarchical colors would offend President Ebert. Finally a compromise was reached on the Holstein colors, those of Eckener's homeland.

GET TIP IN GANG KILLING

New Trail Uncovered In O'Banion Death

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.—Authorities of Peoria and Springfield, Ill., were called upon tonight on a new trail toward the slayers of Dean O'Banion, "prince" of Chicago's underworld.

An anonymous tip, received today by Peoria police, revealed that Robert E. Crowe, stated that Dewey Calvert, another underworld follower, could throw light on the murder. At Calvert's address here it was said he had gone to Springfield, but Springfield authorities said he had left for Peoria.

TREATING DIABETES

A novelty vanity case is of brilliant green bakelite with a long silk tassel in which is concealed a lip stick.

'Eat And Get Well'

My diet is more treating symptoms and not the disease. Naturally if you take no sugar into the system there will be no sugar to excrete. My book 'Eat And Get Well' tells how to stop this useless starving and eat what you need. All you need FREE to any diabetic sufferer. Write Mr. Richards, Dept. 234, 239 W. 24 St., New York—Ad.

Interwoven Socks

Goe and Heel

The Best Wearing Fine Sock Made

Permanent lustre—Snug ankle fit—no equal for wear—these fine socks come in all colors and sizes, very suitable for Christmas gifts.

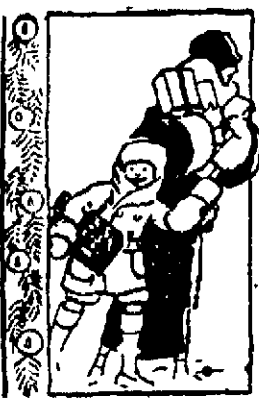
Good Quality Lisle	Fibre Silk, Fancy Rib
35c Pair	\$1.00 Pair
Good Quality Silk Socks	Pure Thread Silk Socks
75c Pair	\$1.00 Pair
	Heavy Silk Plain or Embroidered
	75c Pair
	\$1.50 Pair

Roos & Forsyth

400 Procter Phone 172

SHOP EARLY

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Gift Guide



What to give — Where to get it



Let Santa—the traffic director of this page—act as your holiday guide. Let him show you when and where to stop—when and where to go!

St. Nick has been on the job for more than 1900 years, knows every twist and turn of the community—knows the Stores, whose wares

are advertised below—know where the most exclusive as well as the least expensive gifts may be had.

The carnival time for gift buying has arrived and you need a guide like Santa, who recommends the advertisers on this page. The “go” signal already has been flashed!



WHITE FOLKS “You Hear Me”

Santa done said, that if you wants to get your money worth and not be kiddin yoself you better be lookin up 414 Procter Street, cause dats where old Ed and John is, and they sho nows what de are talkin bout, and they aint jokin bout it either when de say dey is goin to be lo prices as the next one in town. So take my advice and let old Ed and John put dem dollars in yo stockin.

E. B. SUTHERLIN, Jeweler
WE SAVE YOU MONEY
414 Procter



IN SEASON AND OUT

The Gift with a Lasting Remembrance
A Christmas Present
that delights any woman all the time is a

Wristwatch Complete

PRICE COMPLETE
1025-8, 10 1/2 Lemo, 11kt. 25-year
White Gold Filled Engraved Octagon
Tonneau or Square-Shape Case, 16
Jewels Nickel Lever Movement,
Adjusted, Highly Polished, Fancy Sil-
ver Dial, Ribbon and Box.

This is a charming, dainty model noted for its beauty and accuracy. An usually attractive watch, a watch the most fastidious woman will be proud of. You're invited to look at this and many other superbly beautiful wrist watches for Milady.

\$9.95



Honest Goods—Honest Prices

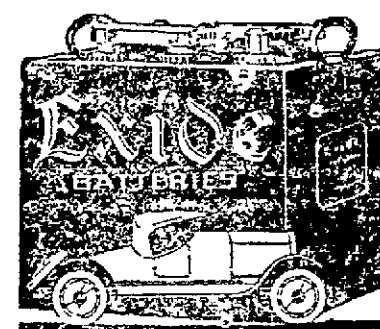
HONEST BEN, JEWELER

145 Procter Street

You are invited to view this watch and other beautiful models. A large selection of gifts at moderate prices.

Give An Exide Battery—

If the old bus needs a new battery—nothing will more satisfactorily answer the gift question than an Exide. And Christmas is the ideal time to give it.



When you want battery repair work—come to Port Arthur's 100% electrical shop. We are specialists in our line and are therefore in position to give you better service than you'll find elsewhere.

SWENSON BROTHERS

Automotive Electricians

914 Procter

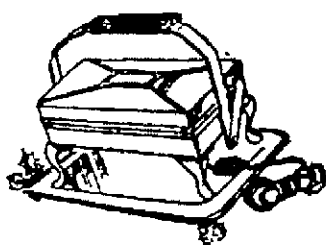
Phone 2111



Plan Now to Make This An Electrical Xmas

Selections are complete just now and only a small payment down will reserve any article you desire till you get ready for it Christmas.

—Toasters
—Waffle Irons
—Table Stoves
—Percolators
—Lamps
—Vacuum Sweepers



Select your electrical gifts from an electrical store. Then you are sure of their quality and material. Then too if the gift should go wrong, we are better prepared to make electrical adjustments.

ELECTRIC SPECIALTY CO.

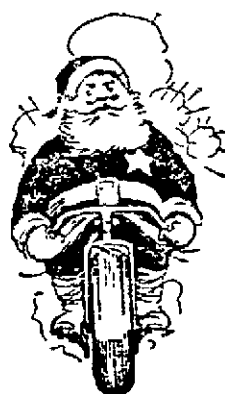
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Phone 1784

ON THE WAY TO THE GIFT STORE

We have anticipated Santa's needs when it comes for sonny or dad.

Here you will find a suitable gift for any man and the kind that will be useful and enjoyed throughout the year. Sporting gifts, useful gifts, for the sportsman, or his automobile.



Guns
Rifles
Football
Goods

Basketball Goods
Hunting
Equipment
Mortoise Gifts

COME TO THE SPORT STORE FIRST

THE SPORT STORE

648 Procter St.

Phone 400

You Need Go No Further Than This Place

Music, the gift with a soul, and make it worthwhile, one that will be enjoyed by all, the old and the young, every day of the year, if it's a

Brunswick
PHONOGRAPHS AND RECORDS



Think of the many enjoyable evenings to be spent with a musical gift and you can think of no gift that will be more appreciated than a BRUNSWICK.

You can enjoy the very soul of the artist, on any record made with a BRUNSWICK.

AND ALL THE POPULAR LATE RECORDS TO GO WITH IT.

Jones-O'Neal Furniture Co.

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

THE MOST POPULAR GIFT

When you cannot think what to give, then resort to candy, that ever acceptable gift, especially if it's the ZENO kind.



We will be especially well stocked this season with Christmas packages which will add prestige to that gift for “him” or for “her.”

And too, with the goodness that is normal with ZENO'S candy, that should it be a pound or a five pound box the gift will be complete.

Christmas orders accepted, to order, or mailed out.



ZENO'S CONFECTIONARY

735 Procter St.

Phone 110

HERE'S THE LIST FOR MR. MOTORIST

Think what could make his Christmas more joyful than to give him something for his automobile. Santa has opened his bag here, with the kind of accessories that are practical as well as ornamental.

The next time you drive in for our super autoist service, inspect our stock, there is something here that will make a better gift for him or her.



MOTOR METERS—
TIRE COVERS—
SUN VISORS—
PENNSYLVANIA VACUUM CUP
TIRES—

And many other practical gifts.

LOEB AUTO SUPPLY

Augusta at Procter St.

Phone 808



The Finest Christmas Present

It's only a few years, perhaps, since you looked forward to the day when you would have youngsters of your own around you on Christmas Day. Now—you have them!

Or—it may be there's a second merry group now—a group that calls you “Grand-dad” instead of “Daddy”!

No matter which—you know there's no better Christmas Gift you can give those loved ones than to open a bank account for each one of them.

Give them the inspiration to save when they're young—and throughout their lives your gift will rank as “The Finest Christmas Present” ever.

First National Bank

OF PORT ARTHUR
The Bank of Hospitality

SIDE SHOW FREAKS WED

Fat Girl Marries Human Skeleton

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Mrs. Peter Robinson (nee Baby Bunny Smith, weight 407 pounds) was shaking the bed sheets in a feverish effort to find her newly-achieved 38-pound husband.

"I hope I didn't roll over in the night," she said in a worried voice, and her agitation seemed quite natural considering that they had been married but 12 hours.

"You see," she continued, "he's the only living skeleton alive today and a big sideshow attraction. He's really very valuable. And, besides, he's my husband and I love him."

At this moment, however, Peter Robinson, one of the most famous of sideshow freaks, swung leisurely out from between the mattress and the bedspring in time to tell the romantic story of the love of a circus "fat lady" for a "human skeleton."

He Pined Away

"Well we met about five years ago in a side show," began Robinson.

But the missus interrupted him with: "Yes, and he was in love with Sweet Adeline, another fat girl, and I cut her out. He's always preferred fat girls. He's been in love with eight of them. Believe me, all the sideshow girls were after Pete. He's one of the biggest money makers in the business. Human skeletons are not common like tattooed men and dwarfs."

"But suppose she feeds you too well and you gain weight?" suggested the interviewer.

Both bride and groom shivered at the prospect.

"Was this your first love?" the interviewer asked of the Juncoque Babe.

Pete Is Shy

"No, I was married once before. But that was when I was thin and men were not so hard to get. You see I only became a really fat, fat girl about five or six years ago. At birth I weighed but a pound and three-quarters."

"Now how about a honeymoon?" the reporter went on.

"That's the trouble—there's no place we haven't been. I guess we'll rest, for we have to go out with the circus again in the spring, and won't I have it on the sideshow gals—? Babe fairly glowed."

Pete, meanwhile, had coyly and modestly disappeared behind the hat rack.

Quarter-Ton Bride; 58-Pound Groom



Pete Robinson, 38 pounds, and his bride, Baby Bunny Smith, 407 pounds, on their honeymoon.



The Golden Rule

sets the standard of Smith Smart Shoe making. It's what you want; square-deal merchandise that brings you more than your money's worth of satisfaction. We do unto you as we would have you do unto us.

Haber's

Smith Smart Shoes

\$9 \$10 \$11

Scientists Listen To Roar of Electrons

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Nov. 29.—Experiments by which scientists are able to listen to the movement of electrons, the smallest particles of all matter, were described here today by Dr. A. W. Hull of the research laboratory of the General Electric company, at the annual meeting of the American Physical society.

The vacuum tube amplifier in which the amplification is carried to a hundred-thousand fold, and with which a million fold can be reached makes this possible, Dr. Hull stated. The sound produced by the electrons is caused by bombardment of the plate by electrons, released from the hot filament. It is these electrons which carry the current and which make the operation of the tube possible.



Is This Your Home?

We are making many homes happy this Christmas. Hundreds are taking advantage of the special terms we offer on our Christmas

Victrola Club

Haven't you often been by yourself with no place in particular to go and nothing in particular to do? What a joy it would be some cold winter's night to get into your big arm chair and let the artists of the world entertain you on the

VICTROLA

Here's Our Christmas Club Plan

Come in and select the model you like most—pay \$1.00 down—this makes you a member of our Christmas Victrola Club. Then every week until Christmas you make a small payment. We hold the Victrola until you are ready to have it delivered.

ON DISPLAY

We have this instrument on display at our store. Also, a full line of Victrolas. We will gladly demonstrate it to you, in order to convince you that the Victrola is the best talking machine in the world today. No obligations.

We take your old phonograph in as part payment on the new.

New Victrola Records Every Week—Friday



PHOENIX

FURNITURE Co. OF PORT ARTHUR

525 Procter 'The Home of Good Furniture' Phone 600

The Christmas Store

Each Yuletide season sees a greater trend towards the giving of practical gifts. One realizes that the more practical the gift, the more lasting it will be—and longer will the thoughtfulness of the donor be remembered. Something in ready-to-wear or dress accessory is most practical to give, for it expresses the true spirit of Christmas. The store is aglow with brilliant stocks of such practical gifts, and prices are as practical for you as the presents are for those to whom you will give them.



Sweaters

They are gifts women and misses wish someone would give them. Splendid assortment here in a wide attractive price range.

Misses Sweaters

\$1.95 to \$5.50
Showing a wide range of styles, colors and sizes, that are sure to please.

Ladies' Sweaters

\$3.95 to \$12.50
Sweaters for all occasions whether it be serviceable or dress, we have the newest thing.



Jewelry

Our Jewelry Department is the mecca of holiday shoppers. It glitters with bright things of intrinsic worth, each one artistic in design—and there are, oh, so many lovely designs. All at prices whose lowness will be the greatest surprise to all.

Necklaces

98c to \$4.50

Pearl Necklaces

\$2.50 to \$7.95

Vanity Boxes

\$1.25 to \$3.95

and many other attractive gifts

Umbrellas



It is a thoughtful year 'round useful gift. And when umbrellas are of the finer qualities, as these, they are certain of welcome.

Silk Umbrellas

\$4.50 to \$19.50

Each one is individual as there are no two alike and the handles are beautiful, showing the latest designs.



Dainty Slippers

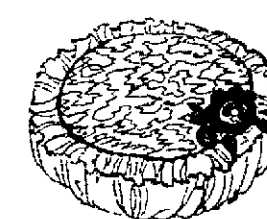
For Formal Occasions

SLIM affairs of silver or gold cloth, lustrous satin or softest kid, marked at prices you will find it convenient to pay.

\$8.50 \$10 \$11.50

Where Shoe Styles Start

Why Not Give Practical Christmas Gifts



Happy Lies the Head—on These Decorative Pillows

Pillows for men with colored stitching, and the dainty cushion for the girl's room also around the four cushions, in colors that will brighten up the darkest corner.

\$2.95 to \$6.50

In a range of colors and materials.

Fine Linens for the Homebody



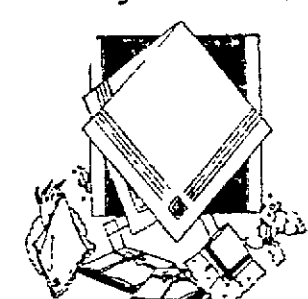
Her pride in the appearance of her home should lead you to select a housewife's gift from these fine linens. Luncheon sets, table damasks, and napkins, embroidered dress scarfs, and pillow cases. All are reasonably priced.

LINENS

Specially Priced

Our entire stock of high quality linens at special prices. Select your Christmas linens early.

Dainty Kerchiefs



From a simple little towel to the more pretentious, very few gifts can take the place of handkerchiefs at Christmas. Scores of delightful styles and qualities to choose from.

Box Handkerchiefs

25c to \$4.00

Linen Handkerchiefs

25c to 98c

Imported Handkerchiefs

49c to \$4.95

Madeira Handkerchiefs

75c to \$2.50

Perfumes for Milady

The fragrance of perfume carries with it a subtle complement, and a gift that finds its way to her dressing table is sure of appreciation.

Imported Perfumes

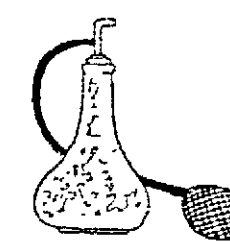
79c to \$8.50

In most any size bottle

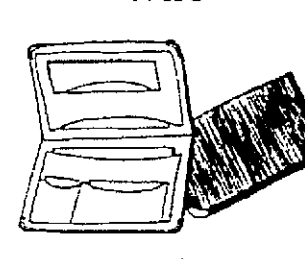
Toilet Water

79c to \$3.50

Offering a range of colors in most any style bottle



A Hint to Friend Wife



A leather billfold with a card "from Wife Dear" would make a man happy on Christmas morn. Our stocks offer many suggestions.

Bill Folders

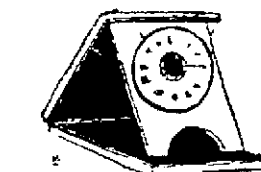
\$1.25 up

Music Rolls

\$1.95 to \$4.50

Hand Bags

\$2.50 to \$12.50



Clocks—

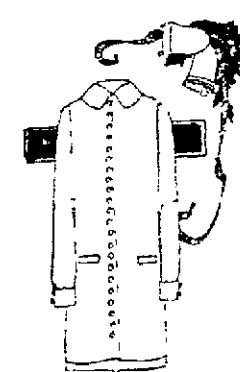
A Timely Gift

The ever faithful alarm clock; the more ornamental but equally useful clock for desk or dressing table; or the more imposing clocks for wall and mantel shelf, any one of them would make an appreciative gift.

Specially Priced

\$3.50 to \$12.95

Showing an unusual collection of styles and sizes.



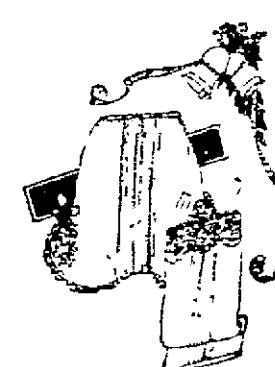
Blouses

Neatly packed in a holiday box a blouse of this fine character will splendidly convey your expression of friendship.

Silk Blouse

\$3.95 to \$16.50

Whether it be a plain little silk blouse or an elaborate tulle blouse our selection is sure to please.



Silk Underwear

This section will save you time and energy for it is unusually rich in underwear styles. Here are a few that evidence modest prices for exceptionally fine underthings.

Crepe Teddies

\$3.19 to \$11.95

Showing all styles and colors in beautiful crepe teddies.

Crepe Gowns

\$4.95 to \$15.00

These gowns would be ideal gifts for her this Christmas.



Dressing Gowns

Such a gift combines intimate luxury with every day use. Expenditure need not necessarily be large for an attractive selection, as these prove.

Dressing Gowns

\$8.95 to \$17.50

Beautiful silk negligees in deep rich colors for the holiday gift giving. They will surely please her.

New Holiday Millinery



They were unpacked only yesterday from their original wrappings. In their wrapping you will see their delightful newness in crowns, brims and carmine. And being barbers of a colorful season, colors are light and gay. A hat of this character will give the wanted freshness to your winter attire costume.

Specially Priced

4.95 to 16.50

All Velvet Hats

Our entire stock of plush and velvet hats at one-half and less. Select your new hat now. The choice styles are going rapidly.

1/2 Price

Santa Says
Only 21 more shopping days until Christmas. Do your shopping early.

The Store
With the
Christmas Spirit

Deutser's

Gifts
for All
the Family

Social Activities of The Past Week are Featured By Brilliant Wedding

THE old saying that Dan Cupid is partial to June as a wedding month certainly does not hold good this year as evidenced by the many weddings which have taken place during the fall. Battered by many prenuptial hospitalities, perhaps the most brilliant wedding of the entire fall season took place Thursday evening at the First M. E. church, south, when Miss Leonora Latimer, younger daughter of Mrs. Kate Latimer, became the attractive bride of Mr. Leslie Harold Lee. Dr. V. A. Godbey performed the impressive ceremony.

The church was in elaborate bridal adornment for the marriage, a rainbow motif being displayed by a profusion of gorgeous chrysanthemums of white, pink, and yellow hues clustered in tall pedestal baskets against a background of palms, fern and amaranth. The altar rail was draped with Spanish moss and baskets of the pretty blossoms outlined the approach to the altar. The marriage vows were spoken beneath a canopy of streamers, featuring the rainbow theme, and suspended from the center of the canopy was a huge wedding bell formed of white and yellow chrysanthemums. The luminous glow of many vari-colored candles in tall candleholders shed a soft glow over the scene.

The bridal solo, "At Dawning," was given by Mrs. Charles C. Perry, with Mrs. T. J. Twomey at the piano rendering a program of bridal music and the processional and recessional Mrs. Neal Rader and Miss. Leon Chamberlain, violinists, played softly during the ceremony. Each wore a lovely garland of pink Columbia roses, gifts from the groom.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Maurice Latimer, made a charming picture in her exquisite wedding gown of lustrous white satin, draped effect and elaborately beaded with the court train of white satin falling from the shoulders. Over this beautiful costume fell the folds of her wonderful veil of rare point lace, lace adjusted with a bandeau of orange blossoms. She carried a beautiful shower bouquet of orchids, and lilies of the valley.

The gowns of the bride's attendants were of soft crepe and satin and featured a rainbow motif. The matron, Mrs. L. A. Gleckler, sister of the bride, wore a handsome costume of pink satin lustrous with silver trimmings, and a becoming poke bonnet. She carried an arm cluster of lovely white and pink chrysanthemums.

Miss Ann Welch, maid of honor, was charming in a dainty gown of lavender satin and georgette, with elaboration of steel beads, and her pretty poke bonnet was adorned with lavender streamers and silver flowers. She carried beautiful shaggy lavender chrysanthemums. Little Miss Margaret Gum of Houston wore a lovely pink crepe frock with hat of coordinating hue and carried a basket of fragrant pink roses.

Misses Addie Diskin and Reba Holmes, senior maids, wore becoming frocks, Miss Diskin's frock being of nice green with trimmings of gold beads and Miss Holmes' being of yellow canton crepe trimmed with velvet lace. Both senior maids wore hats in harmony with their costumes and carried arm bouquets of chrysanthemums.

The junior maids, little Misses Louise Latimer and Elizabeth Latimer, were adorable in delicate white frocks, Louise wearing blue with orchid trimmings and Elizabeth in orange crepe. Their dainty hats matched their frocks and both carried baskets of flowers. Little Mary Elizabeth Hamilton and Sarah Leigh McClintock, the train bearers, were very winning in their white taffeta dresses, which were made to represent butterflies.

The groom was attended by John A. Brown of Haynesville, La., as best man. Ushers were Ted Lee of Beaumont, brother of the groom, James W. Lawless of Austin, Fred Hill and Warren Wadlow.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother in the Griffing Residential.

The home was a bower of chrysanthemums and fall flowers, the bride's table being the center of attraction spread with handsome point lace cover. The wedding cake, a ring-shaped confection, topped with a miniature bride and groom, was placed beneath a large wedding bell fashioned of white chrysanthemums with the light forming the clapper. Mrs. S. O. Latimer presided over the cake and was assisted by Mrs. W. D. Rhineland. Mrs. Charles Perry and Miss Frances Canada served punch to the guests. One hundred guests attended the reception.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee left during the evening for a trip to New Orleans, La., and other points of interest, the bride traveling in a moosehide point lace traveling costume with smart hat and accessories in harmony. Upon their return they will be at home to their friends at Griffing Residential Park.

The wedding was of unusual interest because of the popularity of the bride, who is widely known throughout the city. She was reared and educated in Port Arthur and is one of the city's most beloved young women. Her marriage to Mr. Lee is preceded by a record of prenuptial hospitalities that evidenced her popularity. The groom is secretary-treasurer of the Port Arthur Planning.

IMPORTED CLOTHES THAT MILADY LOVES



At the left above is seen a Beaud importation of black velvet featuring embroidery of gold and crystal beads on flesh radium. On the right is a Russian emme evening wrap. It is of one piece and is worn to form a double cape of whatever length desired.

Calendar for the Week SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Goss to hold reception at Department club house in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer Kaplansky of New York. 4 to 5 o'clock.

MONDAY

Lady Shoppers club with Miss Nina Dowdy, 1221 Procter street, 8 o'clock.
Symphony club program sponsored by Mrs. Vivian E. Deveto at the Department club, 9 o'clock.
Women's Auxiliary of the Carpenter's Union meets at the C. C. hall, 2:30 o'clock.
Wolohi Camp Fire meets with Mrs. M. S. Goss, 1500 Sixth street, 4:30 o'clock.
Junior Missionary society of First M. E. church, south, with Mrs. Fred Galloway, 335 Atlanta avenue, 4:15 o'clock.
Executive board of Women's auxiliary of First Baptist church in called session at the church, 2:30 o'clock.

TUESDAY

Tuesday Bridge club with Mrs. Herbert Henderson, 2625 Lake Shore drive.
Tuesday 7 o'clock at 1 o'clock luncheon with Mrs. C. L. Yates, 1124 Procter street.
American Legion auxiliary with Mrs. M. S. Goss, 1909 Sixth street, 7:45 o'clock.
St. George's Episcopal guild with Mrs. M. S. Goss, 1919 Procter street, 2:30 o'clock.
Women's Self Improvement club with Mrs. J. P. Landes, 1547 Procter street.
Swastika Bridge club with Mrs. B. E. Lashly, 555 Noble avenue, 1:30 o'clock.
Thimble club with Mrs. J. T. McLaughlin, 2200 Procter street, 2:30 o'clock.
Wee Wee sewing club with Aileen O'Neill, 2110 Sixth street, 4:30 o'clock.
Royal Neighbors sewing club with Mrs. J. J. Jones, 241 Third street, 7 o'clock.
Circle Five of Central Baptist auxiliary with Mrs. T. J. Twomey, 2519 Fifth street, 2:30 o'clock.
Moonbeams with Mrs. Hazel Borel, 1255 Nederland avenue, 7:30 o'clock.
St. Andrew's church with Mrs. J. J. Jones, 1223 Eleventh street, 7:30 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY

Wednesday Whist club at 1 o'clock with Mrs. S. O. Latimer, 2209 Fifth street.
Wednesday card club with Mrs. W. C. Holt, 3015 Ninth street, 2:30 o'clock.
Young Women's Culture club with Mrs. J. P. Landes, 2111 Procter street, 8 o'clock.
Wednesday Needle club with Mrs. J. P. Landes, 1600 Sixth street, 2 o'clock.
Wednesday Afternoon Bridge club with Mrs. J. P. Landes, 1600 Sixth street, 2:30 o'clock.
Ladies Aid of First Methodist Episcopal church, south, have annual exchange of gifts at the church, 2:30 o'clock.
Council of Jewish Women to have luncheon party at Mrs. E. Horwitz home, 2625 Sixth street, 5 o'clock.

THURSDAY

Stitches club with Mrs. J. B. Gurn, 1600 Sixth street, 8 o'clock.
Whistles club with Mrs. S. F. Pray, 104 Thomas boulevard, 2:30 o'clock.
Wednesday Afternoon Bridge club with Mrs. J. P. Landes, 1600 Sixth street, 2:30 o'clock.
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FRIDAY

Missionary society of First Christian church to meet at the church, 2:30 o'clock.
Civil club to meet at the Department club house, 3 o'clock.
Friday Bridge club with Mrs. George Imhoff, 1542 Lake Shore drive, 2:30 o'clock.
Friday Afternoon Bridge club with Mrs. Kate Dowdy, 1223 Ninth street, 2:30 o'clock.
Wolohi Camp Fire with Louie and Mary M. M. Marchbanks, 511 West boulevard, 7:30 o'clock.

SATURDAY

Rainbow Girls to meet at Masene hall, 7:30 o'clock.

BESSIE SCHULTZ GIVES SURPRISE

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Schultz entertained at their home for their daughter, Bessie. Yellow was the chosen tone of decoration, games and dancing were enjoyed during the evening and refreshments were served. Those present were: Bessie McCleskey, Alma Borel, Fern Gladden, Marie Berlin, Lella Campbell, Isabel Broussard Hook, Olive Worm, Bessie Claxton, Jane Drake, Ruby Realem, Katherine Hill, Gertrude Worm, Maxine Waller, Melba Burton, Bessie Schullon, Solene Anderson, George Ames, Walter Smith, Eugene Perkins, Charles Stephens, Chester Hill, James McKenna, Ray Winger, L. R. Griffith, Alexander Womble, Frank Burt, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Burton, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McCleskey and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Schultz.

MR. AND MRS. BLOIN HAVE HOUSE GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bloin of 1075 Procter street have as their house guests, Mr. Bloin's brother, J. A. Bloin, and little Miss Jane Victor of New Orleans, La.

Reading Club In Interesting Session Friday

One of the most interesting programs of the Reading club was given Friday afternoon when Mrs. Pendleton Beall sponsored a study of Booth Tarkington's two novels, "The Magnificent Ambersons" and "The Midlander." Roll call was responded to with quotations from the two novels under discussion, and the program was opened with Mrs. J. G. Glasgow's paper, "Booth Tarkington and His Works." Mrs. T. B. Sappington gave a comparison of the two novels following which a lengthy discussion of them was conducted by the leader. A short business session preceded the program and announcement was made that at next meeting a parliamentary drill will be held under the direction of the parliamentary, Mrs. G. H. Eubank.

Those in attendance Friday were Mrs. C. T. Allen, Mrs. E. D. Ames, Mrs. Pendleton Beall, Mrs. J. B. Burdette, Mrs. A. C. Barron, Mrs. J. E. Carr, Mrs. B. H. Davidson, Mrs. A. Dugan, Mrs. T. G. Dellinger, Mrs. G. H. Eubank, Mrs. John Glasgow, Miss Mary Donaldson, Mrs. H. K. Goodwin, Mrs. M. S. Goss, Mrs. M. L. Hill, Mrs. C. A. McCall, Miss Margaret Mosley, Mrs. Rose Gillette, Mrs. George N. Pohl, Mrs. T. B. Sappington, Mrs. E. O. Smith, Mrs. H. G. Wilson, Mrs. F. V. Low, Mrs. S. C. Dunlop, Mrs. C. L. Wignall, Mrs. F. F. Axtell, Mrs. K. A. Young, Mrs. E. F. Bunker, Mrs. H. O. Mills, Mrs. Elma Walker, Miss Lee True Strange, Miss Vernon Dilyouth and Mrs. H. P. Foote.

MOONBEAMS CLUB HAS MEETING

The Moonbeams club held its weekly meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Inez Babin and the following officers were installed: Miss Inez Babin, president; Miss Christine Whitman, secretary and social officer; Miss Beulah Boudreau, treasurer; and Miss Lora Lee, "bouncer." Christmas plans were discussed and the club decided to have a Christmas box. A social hour followed and refreshments were served.

MRS. McNAMARA RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Charles E. McNamara and Mrs. A. L. Manuel have returned from the Pacific coast, where they spent a visit in Los Angeles, Long Beach, Venice and Ocean Park. They also visited in Hollywood and were the guests of Commander Jones on their return. Mrs. McNamara is the largest battler of the United States.

NITE SERENADERS HAVE SMOKE

The Nite Serenaders met Tuesday evening at the club room of the Harbortown and a smoker was held. Refreshments were served to Winnetta, Mrs. E. S. West Virginia, one of the largest battlers of the United States, Victor Delee, and Minor Mac.

Sacred Concert At Westminster Church Tonight

A sacred concert will be given at the Westminster Presbyterian church at 7:30 o'clock by the choir under the direction of Mrs. Clifford G. Hall, and with Mrs. A. R. Atney at the piano.

The program follows: Hymn—Congregation. Prayer—Rev. T. Alvis Davis. Response—"We Thank Thee" (Griegs). Anthem—"Now the Day Is Over" (Stevens)—Choir. L. G. Swanson. Violin solo: "Largo" (Handel)—Miss Juliet Jack Rount. Anthem—"Like Silent Springs" (Shelley). Announcements. Officers—"Give Alms of Thy Goods" (Bonfem)—L. G. Swanson, with violin obligato by Miss Rount. Anthem—"My Faith Looks Up to Thee" (Schuler)—Mrs. M. A. Smith. Organ solo: "Te Deum" (Schuecker)—Choir. Nunc Dimittis (Hudley). Benediction.

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Pretty Card Party Given At K. C. Hall

The Wolohi Camp Fire girls entertained with a card party at Knights of Columbus hall Wednesday evening. The hall was decorated with a profusion of ear-colored chrysanthemums and the Thanksgiving motif prevailed in the decorative scheme and in the card table appointments.

The guests were greeted at the door by Misses Rosemary Stiehl and Eugenia Jacobovic and were conducted to the assembly room by Misses Leona Rogers and Lucille Breaux. Misses Clara Rogers and Effie Mosler passed the tallies.

Five hundred and bridge gave diversion during the evening, eleven tables of players being assembled. In the games of bridge Mrs. R. E. Theobald was awarded the ladies' prize for high score and the gentleman's favor was presented to A. Loidold.

For success in the games of five hundred Mrs. L. L. Billeaud received the ladies' prize and L. E. Daspit captured the men's favor. Consolation prizes fell to Miss Florence Bash and Basil Moran.

Preceding the games a short musical program was given with Misses Clara Rogers and Louise Marchbanks singing a duet, and piano solos by Misses Isabelle Billeaud and Lois Krohn. Refreshments were served by Misses Florence Bannert, Virginia Adolphus, Helen Rose Loidold and Eugenia Jacobovic.

Epworth League Will Have Special Program

An interesting program has been arranged by the Epworth league of the First Methodist Episcopal church for this evening's meeting at 6:30 o'clock. The subject for the occasion is "Loyalty." An orchestra will furnish special musical numbers for the evening.

Dramatization of the various phases of loyalty to the home, to the church and God, and to the country will feature the program. The devotional lesson will be included in the dramatization of loyalty to the home, which will be given by Mr. and Mrs. Walbur Abbey and their little daughter, Mae Elizabeth.

Misses Florence Lang and Dorothy Timmins will dramatize loyalty to the church and God; and Gene Montgomery will give the dramatization of loyalty to our country.

All young people are invited to attend.

PRETTY SHOWER FOR MRS. O. A. GROVES

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Groves were tendered a shower by the Loyalty League of the First Baptist church Friday evening. The young people assembled at the church and motored to the Groves' new home in Belmont Heights. Arriving at the home the young people formed in a line and entered the house in couples with Mrs. C. D. Williams and Miss Bessie Pierce leading. Webb Myers and M. Woodall were the last ones to enter and brought with them an attractively decorated basket filled with many gifts for the new home, which they presented to Mr. and Mrs. Groves.

Miss Bessie Pierce, president of the Loyalty union, made a speech of presentation. Later a bonfire was built and a roast was enjoyed.

Those participating in the surprise were Misses Peggy Jacobs, Bessie Pierce, Faydette Talley and Olive Earnest; Messrs. Fred McCleare, Webb Myers, Melvin Monk and Edgar Ervine and M. Woodall; Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Nantz, Mrs. C. D. Williams, Mrs. L. Livingston, Mrs. Vernon Elder and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Groves.

COUNCIL PARTY ON WEDNESDAY

On Wednesday afternoon, December 3, Mrs. B. Horwitz will entertain the Council of Jewish Women with a bridge party at her home, 2632 Sixth street, at 3 o'clock. All members of the Council of Jewish Women are cordially invited and urged to attend the party.

Novel Entertainment Is Arranged for Thursday At Christian Church

Tiny Tots Entertain Parents With Playlet

The kindergarten and primary classes of Miss Maudie Hendrickson and Mrs. E. R. Clements entertained their parents with a Thanksgiving playlet Tuesday evening at their class rooms at the First Baptist church. The decorations of the class room were appropriate to Thanksgiving and the playlet was a Thanksgiving theme.

The characters of the play included Roy Young as Jerry, Mary Ann Woodhouse as Nancy, Mary Virginia Shields as the mother, T. L. McBride as Lord Tiddlewinks, Alice Elizabeth Vaughn as Lady Tiddlewinks, Henry Earl McBride as Luck-leberry Finn, Marion Button as Cinderella, Ben Henderson as Robinson Crusoe, Angelina Andrus as Alice in Wonderland, Lillian Virginia Rice as Robin Hood, Hannah Frances Smith as Mother Goose, B. E. Johnson and Barbara Westfall as Jack and Jill, Alfred Butcher as Jack Horner, Mary Louise Nowlin as Bo Peep, Billy Lianach as Boy Blue, Morgan Smith as Pieman, Earl Dedman as King Cole, Roger Kleas McDonald, Frank Smith, Jr., and Junior Tyson as Fiddlers Three; Ray Johnson, Seafers Bussey, Paul Wignall, Riley Burch, Debal Morrill and Billy Norton as brownies; Jennett Swift, Mary Elizabeth Nelson, Eleanor Smith and Mary Louise Miller as fairies; Junior Bussey as Capt. Miles Standish, Beatrice Westfall as Pricilla; Emily Sanders as Hiawatha; Joy Sylvestor as Pocahontas; and Mary Louise Noble; Phyllis Allene McDonald, and Lily Jane Hansen as Pilgrim maids.

With the basement of the church arranged to represent the circus grounds and all the novelties of a circus assembled for one evening's entertainment, the adult department of the First Christian Sunday school will entertain with a "Free Circus" Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Tight rope walkers, clowns, the fattest man and the leanest man in the world, a negro quartet, side shows, and various other features of the circus will be included in the "Free Circus." A stage will be constructed in the center of the large Sunday school auditorium on which the stunts will be performed so that they may be viewed by all the visitors.

The program for the evening will be a surprise, and announcement was made yesterday that there will be a policeman on hand to arrest anyone acting dignified. The social committee from the Women's Bible class, comprised of Mrs. Harrison Fisher, Mrs. H. W. McCorkle, and Mrs. F. E. Walker, is arranging the program and the refreshments for this occasion. Mrs. R. R. Yelderman is the teacher of the Women's Bible class.

The Men's Bible class is to arrange the circus grounds. The partitions in the Sunday school auditorium are to be removed throwing the room into one large spacious circus ground. The Gleamers class will have charge of the invitations to the circus and the decorations of the circus grounds. R. E. McNelis and L. G. Douglas comprise the committee from the Gleamers class in charge of the arrangements. The invitations which are being arranged by this committee are clever affairs giving in detail the features of "Free Circus."

Mrs. B. Hollifield Entertains Club

Mrs. Byron Hollifield entertained the members of the Wednesday Needle club with an informal afternoon of needlework at her home, 2224 Fourth street, Wednesday afternoon. The hostess served a salad course during the late afternoon hours.

The guests were Mrs. J. H. Turnham, Mrs. Earl Goldbold, Mrs. J. E. Grady, Mrs. H. G. Schuchler, Mrs. J. A. Pluecker, Mrs. Paul Mills, Mrs. Alfred Bass, Mrs. Fred Galloway, Mrs. Raymond Sayer, Mrs. Morris and Mrs. Byron Hollifield.

Mrs. J. A. Pluecker will be next week's hostess at her home, 1030 Sixth street.

DR. AND MRS. THOMPSON HAVE HOUSE GUEST

Mrs. N. E. LeBlanc of Lake Charles, La., is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Thompson of 344 Fifth St.

Mrs. Thomas Culp Hostess to Club

Mrs. Thomas Culp entertained at a bridge Wednesday afternoon at her home on DeQueen boulevard. The guests included members of the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge club. The home decorations featured a delicate yellow and blue motif. Bridge table accessories reflected the theme. In the games Mrs. Henry Guiley was awarded the first prize for high score and Mrs. J. M. Plyler received the second favor. A salad course was served at the close of the games.

Two tables of players took part. Among the guests were Mrs. J. D. Bryan, Mrs. J. M. Plyler, Mrs. George Delevan, Mrs. George Howard, Mrs. J. Poole, Mrs. Henry Guiley, Mrs. George Edwards, and Mrs. Thomas Culp.

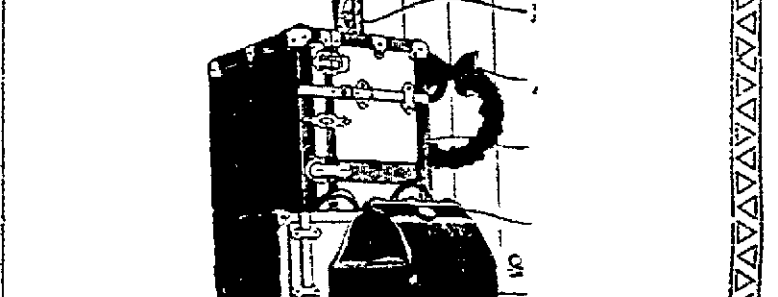
Mrs. J. M. Plyler will entertain the club next week at her home, 1030 Sixth street.

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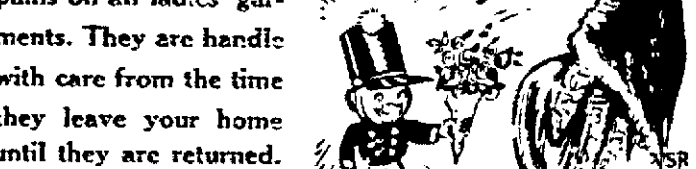
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Miss DeGraffenreidt Entertains for Guest

A dance was given Friday night at the department club by Miss Elouise DeGraffenreidt in honor of Miss Frances Denbo of Houston. Music for the evening was furnished by the "Hot Ovals" orchestra, comprised of Miss Bernice Overton, piano; Leonard Rogers, saxophone-clarinet; J. N. Carothers, banjo-clarinet; and William Conzulin, drums. The feature of the dance was the midnight waltz. Those attending were Misses Frances Denbo, Bessie Smith, Cora Walker, Sarah Harwell, Curtis Cochran, Floris Aiken, Ruth Chestnut, Beatrice Post, Lela Mae Smith, Pauline Farborough, Margaret McDonald, Ida LeBlanc, Velma Welch, Dorothy Stevenson, Marjorie Miles, Wilma Sims, Maxine Kuhlman, Elouise Goodwin, Bernice Goodwin, Pauline Durham, Nellie Lange, Ethel Norris, Gladys Greenlee and Elouise DeGraffenreidt, Messrs. Leon Smith, Earl Smith, Alexander Guidry, C. J. Kuhlman, English Brannon, O. B. Carter, Ishmael Guidry, Ed Forshee, Gwyn McAlpine, Don Hendrix, G. K. Lomax, Dan Prudhomme Glenn Bell, Eddie Morgan, Jewel Livingston, James Livingston, Andrew McWhorter, Oliver McWhorter, Byrd Brannon, Kenneth Overton, Roy Hodges, Ed Dupuis, Weldon Davis, James Holton, Jack Rice, Raynaud, Pittman, J. B. Woodall, Glenn Cato, John Blair, Oswald Wukesch, Romann Prejean, Frank Taylor, E. Felt, Edward Smith, Ernest Byler, Tom Gorin, Thurston Goodwin, Charles Daniels, Alton Lewis, George Stewart, James Walker, and Eddie Ledet; Mr. and Mrs. Van Merrier and Mrs. Bertha Findley.

Symphony Club Will Study Tone Pictures

A study of water music and a general discussion of tone pictures will feature the symphony club session tomorrow afternoon at the department club at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Vivian B. Pereto will sponsor the program which will be as follows: Voice: "To be sung on the Water." (Schubert). Mrs. L. L. Drake. Trio: "In the Boat." (Grieg). Mrs. J. A. Bladese, Miss Maude Hendrickson, and Mrs. O. E. Abel. Piano: (a) "The Brook." (MacDowell). (b) "Moonshine." Mrs. O. G. Westmoreland. Piano: Selected. Mrs. W. M. Crockett. Voice: "Crying of the Water." (Campbell-Tipton). Mrs. E. N. McGuire. Violin: Selected. Miss Julia Jack Boutt.

FERN GLIDDEN GIVEN SURPRISE

Mrs. E. M. Anderson of 724 Lake Charles avenue entertained Fern Glidden with a surprise party Saturday evening, the occasion being her sixteenth birthday. The decorations of the house were pink and white. The cake was decorated with sixteen tiny pink candles. Games and contests gave diversion during the evening, following which an ice course was served. The honoree received many presents. Those present were Marie Bert, Bessie Schultin, Marie Beth, Eloise Laune, L. A. Lawrence, Sr., Sadie Anderson, J. B. Reynolds, Emma Guidry, Fern Glidden, Alma Bogel, E. G. Glidden, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Laune, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Glidden, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Arnold and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Anderson.

SACRED CONCERT BEING PLANNED

The choir of the First Baptist church under the direction of Mrs. E. H. McGuire is planning a sacred concert for next Sunday evening at the church. The choir will be assisted by Miss Gladys Harner's Mozart violin choir of Beaumont, Mrs. R. E. Theobald, Mrs. Alfred Steinkor of Kentucky and a double mixed quartet. Selections from "Hiljal" and "Creation" will be sung. This morning at the First Baptist church the choir will sing the Thanksgiving anthem, "Father of Mercy" by Schaecker, with Mrs. McGuire and A. L. Foster as soloists. Tonight Mrs. McGuire and Mr. Foster will sing a duet, "Comfort Ye One Another" by Bennett.

LEGION TO HAVE HOUSEWARMING

The American Legion and the Legion auxiliary will have a housewarming Dec. 12 at the clubhouse on Lake Shore drive. Final arrangements will be completed Tuesday evening at the session of the auxiliary at Mrs. M. S. Goss' home, 1900 Sixth street, at 7:30 o'clock. At this session the nomination of officers will also take place. The auxiliary will have charge of the entertainment for the housewarming and also the refreshments. An invitation is extended the executive men to attend the housewarming as well as the general public.

COUNCIL HAS BOARD MEET

The Council of Jewish Women met in executive session Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sam Harris on Procter street, and discussed several important business matters. The council will hold a rummage sale some time this month, a definite date to be announced as soon as final arrangements are completed.

Women May Hate Snakes, But Still They Wear Them



NEW YORK, Nov. 29.—Women may never get over an instinctive hatred of snakes, but they appear to have conquered all feeling against wearing snakeskin. Snakeskin hats and shoes were introduced as a novelty last season, and this season they are becoming popular. Besides the snake's contribution to the bootmaker, the leopards, zebras and lions, ostrich affliction and lizard are doing their bit and delivering their hides.

Congregational Aid Will Hold Bazaar

The annual Christmas bazaar will be held by the Missionary society of the Congregational church Dec. 5 and 6 in the Latimer building. December 5 a turkey dinner will be served from 5 to 8 p. m. in addition to the usual bazaar and on the following day only the bazaar will be held. Final arrangements were made at Friday's session of the Missionary society at Mrs. C. E. Weidner's home, 530 Mobile avenue. The afternoon's program was on "Thanksgiving," and after the devotional service by Mrs. W. J. Stock, Mrs. J. C. Reynolds gave a poem on Thanksgiving and Mrs. Guy Carroll read a paper on "Thanksgiving Among Ancient Peoples."

Mrs. E. L. Glidden told of Thanksgiving Day as observed in America and Mrs. S. L. Shumak read a paper on "Thanksgiving Meditations." A social hour followed and refreshments were served. Those present were Mrs. R. S. Edmunds, Mrs. G. R. Bullock, Mrs. S. L. Shumak, Miss Elizabeth Ludemann, Mrs. C. E. Albert, Mrs. F. E. Gifford, Mrs. Guy Carroll, Mrs. J. E. Becker, Mrs. Margaret Mrs. W. J. Fox, Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, Mrs. W. J. Stock, Mrs. E. M. Froh, Mrs. A. L. Humphreys and Mrs. C. E. Weidner.

CIVIC CLUB TO MEET FRIDAY

The Civic club will meet Friday afternoon at the department club, 1211 Procter street, at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Joe Corbin, Mrs. H. K. Goodman and Mrs. Harry Baker have arranged the program which will be as follows: One of Shriller's "I Plants." This Time of the Year—T. K. Winkler, leader, a song. Paper: "Care and Planting of Houseplants in December"—Mr. T. W. Huzhen. Reading—Miss Laura D.

W. C. TO ELECT OFFICERS

The Woolmen Club will hold a election of officers Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the hall in Hartford building. All members of the drill team are requested to be in attendance. An entertainment will be held after the business session. Mrs. Siddey Stephenson of Houston, guest speaker, will be in attendance at this meeting.

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Missionary Society Entertained Friday

Mrs. H. C. Maile, Mrs. Henry McGuire and Mrs. E. C. Follette were hostesses to the Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist Episcopal church Friday afternoon at the church. The devotional service was conducted by Mrs. W. H. Achey, following which Mrs. C. R. Robinson conducted the lesson study and Mrs. A. B. Chenier and Mrs. C. W. Rodgers gave a brief sketch, "Passages." At a short business session the members voted to bring 25 cents each to the December meeting for the Christmas offering. Refreshments were served. Those attending were Mrs. C. V. Palmer, Mrs. F. A. Bushong, Mrs. Frank Montgomery, Mrs. E. W. Streeter, Mrs. E. C. Follette, Mrs. W. H. Achey, Mrs. H. C. Maile, Mrs. Henry McGuire, Mrs. A. B. Chenier, Mrs. E. J. Smith, Mrs. C. W. Rodgers, Mrs. C. A. McDonald, Mrs. P. S. DeWitt, Mrs. C. R. Robinson and Mrs. J. A. Paschal.

Mrs. F. L. Teuton Will Entertain Y.W.C. Club

Mrs. F. L. Teuton will be hostess to the Young Woman's Culture club Wednesday afternoon at her home, 2111 Procter street. The afternoon's program will deal with "Social Behavior and Sentiments," a study in psychology and will be in charge of Mrs. A. A. Gunter. The program follows: "The place of the sentiments in social behavior and their nature," Mrs. John Vaughn. "The growth of sentiment," Mrs. J. H. Arnold. "The relation of sympathy and sentiment," Mrs. Arthur Beard. Questions for general discussion under the direction of the leader: "What is the psychological conception of a sentiment in the individual?" "What light does this throw on social sentiments?" "Why is it hard to change public sentiment?" "What relation can be found between sentiment and laws?" "What is meant by the 'moralization of the self-regarding sentiment'?" "Give an accurate definition of sympathy." "What connection is to be found between sympathy and 'consciousness of kind'?"

Mrs. W. H. Elliott Has Pretty Bridge Party

The bridge party Friday afternoon at her home, 2021 Procter street, was arranged in honor of the Ladies Bridge club. Shaggy chrysanthemums were used in decorating the home. Mrs. A. N. Peckham was awarded the club prize and the guest favor was awarded to Miss Ada Terrell. A social course was served at the close of the games. Players for the afternoon included Mrs. Ada Terrell, Mrs. David Boree, Mrs. William Imhoff, Mrs. Frank C. Harrell, Mrs. Sydney C. Cullen, Mrs. A. N. Peckham, Mrs. Frank Imhoff, Mrs. George Imhoff, Mrs. Howard Smith, Mrs. S. O. Latimer, Mrs. Dean Dorchester and Mrs. Charles Atwell.

MR. AND MRS. GOSSE ENTERTAIN TODAY

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Goss are entertaining with a reception at the Department club this afternoon from 4 to 5 o'clock in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer Kaplan of New York. Mr. Kaplan is a well known Dickens' impersonator.

PARTY ENJOYING CAMPING TRIP

A delightful week-end camping trip is being enjoyed at Moon's Switch by Mrs. Naomi O'Neill, Mabel Wahl, Vera Wahl, and Mary Milburn; Messrs. John Peck, Earl Leffingwell, Owen Kutz and Walter O'Neill; and Mr. and Mrs. John Kutz.

MR. AND MRS. BYRON TENDERED RECEPTION

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Byron, whose marriage took place in Houston Friday morning, were tendered a housecoming reception Friday evening by a few friends at the home of Mr. Byron's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Byron, 2148 Twelfth street. Mrs. Byron was formerly Miss Mabel Foreman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Foreman of Houston. Dancing gave diversion during the evening and refreshments of punch and cake were served.

Those participating were Misses Regina Borel, Mildred Borel, Ernie Byron, Meena Koch, Mamie Hanson, Frances Iron, Zella Pierce and Sadie Mae Byron; Messrs. George Walker, Frank Barra, Clarence McMullen, C. W. Garrett, C. C. Smith, C. B. Nimel, and Emmett Byron; Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Smith, Mrs. W. M. Coburn, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Iron, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Smith and family, Mrs. R. D. Smith of Morgan City, La., Mr. Elmer Smith, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hemil, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ryan and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Byron.

Miss Garrett Will Sponsor C. E. Program

Seventy-five in attendance. That's the goal set by the Christian Endeavor society of the First Christian church for this evening's service at 8:30 o'clock. The young people are planning to go beyond this mark and during the past week have been making intensive efforts to reach their goal. Miss Gladys Garrett will have charge of the program, which will be the final of a series on "Stewardship," the subject being, "Our Prayers for Christ and His Church." In addition to several interesting talks, the program will be featured by musical numbers. H. C. Holmes, president of the C. E. Society, extends a welcome to all young people of the city not affiliated with any other young people's society to attend.

DANCE PROVES DELIGHTFUL

The dance at the Plaza Wednesday evening was attended by 200 guests. Two of the features of the evening were the moonlight waltz and the singing of the choruses of the songs. The Jovianers seven-piece orchestra furnished the music. A buffet supper was served at midnight.

PARTY SPENDS DAY IN ORANGE

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Loeb and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vincent and children spent Thanksgiving day visiting with friends in Orange.

Attractive Shower Given Bride-Elect

Mrs. W. C. Griffin entertained with a handkerchief shower Tuesday evening, complimenting Miss Leonora Latimer and her fiancé, Leslie Harold Lee, whose marriage took place Thursday evening. The shower was given at the Griffin home in Griffing Residential park. Hearts gave diversion during the evening, following which refreshments of hot chocolate and cake were served.

Those present were Leona Rogers, Clara Rogers, Rosemary Stehl, Lucille Breuer, Effie Mosler, Virginia Adolphus, Louise Marshbanks, Frances Jacobovic, Lela Mae Marshbanks, Lois Krohn, Eugene Jacobovic, Mrs. George Stehl, Mrs. L. P. Daspit, and Mrs. J. F. Jacobovic.

The guests were Misses Ann Welch, Addie Dismukes, Ruth Renfro, Frances Canada and Jane Duncan; Messrs. George M. Campbell, John A. Brown, C. B. Nelson, V. Collins, Maurice Lathner, M. Mills, and Swift Trotti; Mr. and Mrs. Linkman, Mrs. Kate Latimer and daughter, Jane; Mrs. D. A. Daigle and daughter, Rosemary; Mr. and Mrs. Grady Odum, Mr. and Mrs. Votaw Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Singletary, Mr. and Mrs. John McElmery, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Latimer and daughter, Elizabeth; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Griffing.

BAPTIST OFFICERS TO MEET MONDAY

All officers, committee chairmen, and chairmen of the various circles and their secretaries are requested to meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the church.

MISS McALPINE RETURNS HOME

Miss Gladys McAlpine of 1110 Seventh street has returned from Beaumont after a two weeks' visit with her aunt, Mrs. H. E. Brannan.

WALLOHI CAMP TO HAVE CEREMONIAL

At a meeting of the Wallohi Camp Fire Friday evening at the home of Eugene Jacobovic 3001 Houston avenue the girls planned a ceremonial meet to be held about Dec. 15 at the home of Mrs. A. Lohdold on Lake Shore drive. Plans were also discussed for a hike Sunday and for gifts to the Day Nursery at Christmas. Marshmallows were toasted in the fireplace during the evening, following which refreshments of hot chocolate and cake were served.

Those present were Leona Rogers, Clara Rogers, Rosemary Stehl, Lucille Breuer, Effie Mosler, Virginia Adolphus, Louise Marshbanks, Frances Jacobovic, Lela Mae Marshbanks, Lois Krohn, Eugene Jacobovic, Mrs. George Stehl, Mrs. L. P. Daspit, and Mrs. J. F. Jacobovic.

MUSIC STUDY CLUB TO MEET SATURDAY

The Girls Music Study club will meet Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Mrs. O. L. Morton's studio. An interesting program is being planned for this occasion, with Etta Mae Follette as the hostess and Ruth Dismukes as the chairman.

A feature of the program will be a dialogue, the autobiography of Joseph Haydn, which will be made interesting by some of its musical selections played by Mrs. O. L. Morton with explanatory remarks. All members of the club are urged to attend.

MRS. LATIMER HAS GUESTS

Mrs. Kate Latimer of Griffing Residential park has as her guests, Mrs. Ben Hastings and Miss Gladys Lawless of Columbia, who were here to attend the Latimer-Lee wedding.

MRS. T. J. TWOMEY PLAYS IN HOUSTON

Mrs. T. J. Twomey, talented Port Arthur musician, appeared on the program of the State Federation of Music Teachers which met in Houston yesterday. The program was given at the Rice hotel, and Port Arthur was especially honored in having Mrs. Twomey appear in the program. Mrs. Twomey played Cadman's "First Movement, Sonata in A Major."

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SOCIETY

Cokesbury League Entertains Friday

The Cokesbury League of the First M. E. church, South, entertained at a Thanksgiving festival at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bowen, 2041 Seventh street. The home was attractively decorated with baskets of chrysanthemums. The entertainment took the form of a track meet, and interesting games were enjoyed between the two factions during the evening, refreshments were served.

Among the guests were Louise Graves, Katherine Wall, Helen Graves, Roy Broadway, Mabel Orr, Lucy Frank Walters, Nellie Cox, Iona Singleton, Florence Taylor, Mildred Saxon, Gene West, Stanley, Willie K. Sallora, Joseph Hart, Virgil Bryant, Frank Chambers, Lawrence Larpenter, Thelma Campbell, J. S. Gay, Mary Margaret Ward, Willa Bryant, Elizabeth Neely, Gold Thompson, Syda Leise Thompson, Jack Ramsey, Lila Taylor, Una Singleton, Lydia Larpenter, Leta Jensen, W. R. Scallora, Adele Ellison, Clarence Akin, C. H. Moffatt, W. C. Winger, Roy Bean, Willie R. Dillon, U. E. Singleton, Marjorie Washington, Geraldine Mason, T. O. Newcomer, Alice Newcomer, Phil Corley, A. R. McCoy, Gwyn McAlpine, Harvey Winger, Claude Stanley, Willie Bowen, H. C. Moffatt, Myrtle Bowen, Mrs. D. A. Daigle, Mrs. T. T. Riegs and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bowen.

Talented Reader To Appear In Program

Musical lovers of Port Arthur are looking forward with interest to the program which will be given by Miss Helen Wagner at the Department club on Tuesday evening, Dec. 2, under the auspices of the Symphony club.

Miss Wagner has a host of friends in Port Arthur who will be delighted to learn of her expected visit here. She will stop in the city a few days as the guests of Mrs. C. G. Hall enroute to her home in Topeka, Kans., after an eastern tour, and while here will give a program of readings and musical numbers for the Symphony club. The proceeds of the entertainment will go toward the Symphony club piano fund.

Arrangements for the affair will be completed at tomorrow afternoon's session of the club and committees will be appointed to assist in finalizing plans for the entertainment.

IRENE WAHL ENTERTAINS

Miss Irene Wahl entertained a few friends with a party Friday evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. T. Wahl in the Model addition. Those enjoying the party were Misses Edna Sherwood, Muriel Ball, Bernice Hunter, Florence Wiemann, Mercedes Wiemann, Margaret Greer, Mabel E. Blane, Margaret Carlson, Ruth Leckert, Frances Franklin, Edna Leckert, Vera Wahl, Mabel Wahl and Irene Wahl. Messrs. Eugene Monroe, Duane Ball, Ben Smith, John Smith, Leo Smith, Charles Dempsey, James Hunter, Paul Jones, Dallas Wing.

When Chicago's "Debs" Frolic



Dorothy Knowles is one of the Chicago society girls who has adopted the study of rhythmic dancing as a means of acquiring true grace and perfection of form. The tutor is Ernest Evans. Many of the graduates of Evans' classes have taken up professional dancing as a career.

Harry Morgan, William Purdon, Buddy Jones, Eugene Jordan, Billy Wahl, Robert Dryer and John Wahl.

Miss Wahl was assisted in entertaining by her mother and her sisters, Misses Vera and Mabel Wahl.

MISS PHELAN HAS GUEST

Miss Lydia Gene Phelan of 1709 Sixth street has as her guest, her sister, Miss Helen Phelan of Rogers, Ark., who returned with her from Houston where they have been spending the Thanksgiving holidays with relatives.

Young Peoples Society To Have Novel Program

An old-fashioned candy pull will be enjoyed Sunday afternoon by the Young Peoples society at St. George's Episcopal church at 4 o'clock. An entertaining program has been arranged. The following numbers will be given:

Chorus songs—Misses Cora Glasow, Lilian Peckham and Bernice Trahan.

Reading—Miss Bernice Trahan.

Violin solo—Joe Ellender.

Reading—Walter K. Glass.

The candy pull will follow the program. All members of the Young Peoples society and their friends are invited to attend.

EXCELSIOR B. Y. P. U. (First Baptist Church)

Malcolm Campbell, treasurer, with the missionary committee, will render a special program this evening at 6 o'clock. Baptist Medical mission will be discussed. The program is as follows:

Introduction—Hazel Heard.

1. Africa—Raymond Cowan.

2. Mexico—Mrs. Duhan.

3. North China.

(1) Hwangshien—Marie Hathorn.

(2) Pingtu—Elizabeth Young.

(3) Laichow—Edna Eaves.

4. Central China—Orval Allen.

5. Interior China.

(1) Changchow—L. D. Purser.

(2) Peking—A. H. —Edna Mao Perkins.

6. South China.

(1) South Memorial Hospital.

Florence Davis.

(2) Ramour Memorial Hospital—Willie Gilstrap.

(3) The Loper Colony—Gra. Burgess.

Special music by quartet.

We have a chair placed for you in the Excelsior B. Y. P. U. department. After you have attended this program, we feel that you will be glad you occupied that chair.

In China the floors of ball-rooms are divided into squares, and dancers must keep to the squares that are allotted to them.

Bank Bandits Get \$5,000 In Holdup

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 29.—Hubert Clark, negro messenger for the Twelfth Street bank was held up here today by two bandits and robbed of \$5,000 he was transporting from another bank.

Clark was walking down a crowded street when the two men stepped from an alley and forced him to stop with them. In the alley they took the money which was in a satchel and escaped.

BILL WOULD PLACE DRIVERS UNDER BOND

AUSTIN, Nov. 29.—A bill requiring every person driving an auto-

mobile to purchase an indemnity bond to indemnify against loss of life and destruction of property by drivers of automobiles will be introduced in the coming session of the legislature by Representative George C. Kemble.

Port Worth lawyer, he announced here today.

"Then, the long suffering public would have protection against the criminally careless drivers, as well as against unavoidable accidents," Kemble said.

HIGH SCHOOL GIRL RUN DOWN BY TRUCK

AUSTIN, Nov. 29.—Ray Townsley, Austin high school girl, was run down by a truck Saturday and dangerously injured. She was attempting to cross a street at the time of the accident.

EASIER TO GET LIQUOR NOW

So Congress Will Be Asked to Give Drys Money

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The only way to make prohibition prohibit, congress will be told when it meets to consider appropriations for the next fiscal year, will be to dig a lot deeper into the national pocket-book.

Even here in the capital it must be admitted intoxicants are more readily obtainable than two or three years ago, and the quality is much more dependable.

Producers of "moonshine" are no longer amateurs. The product they turn out today, in large part, lacks only the proper aging to make it compare favorably with many of the cheaper brands of pre-prohibition liquor.

A large distilling layout, located directly across the street from the house office building, where congressmen have their offices, was raided a few days after election.

It was equipped to turn out a product which even congressional palates might have pronounced good, had not its presence been disclosed by sheer accident.

Thirty-six states have pure seed laws.

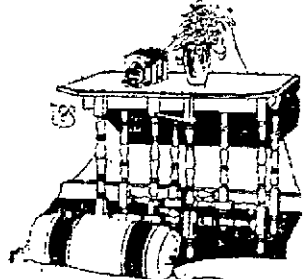
Gate Draughts

Not infrequently a decidedly unpleasant draught passes up through the holes in the gear lever, gas, and water pipes, swirling about round the driver's legs. Sometimes the air entering the interior of a car, in this way passes upward from the engine space and carries with it an unmistakable smell of burnt oil. Or it may be air from beneath the car, in which event, in cold weather, the driver may suffer from cold feet and legs on that account.

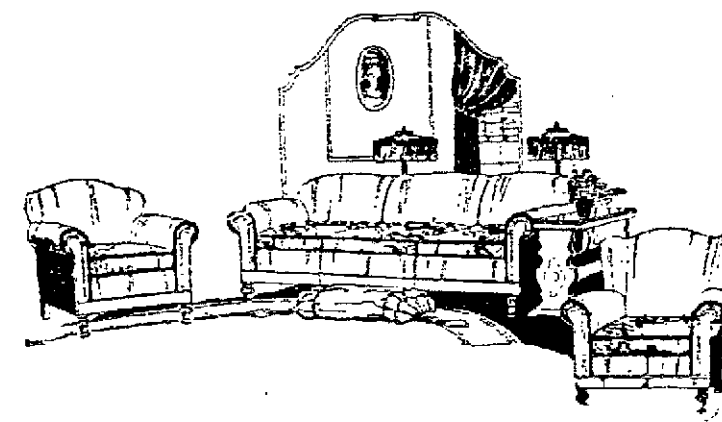
A simple means of preventing this draught consists of a sheet of thin metal having a hole in the center and fitting loosely round the gear lever resting on the floor or the top of the gate.—Automobile Digest.

FURNITURE GIFTS

Make This a Furniture Christmas

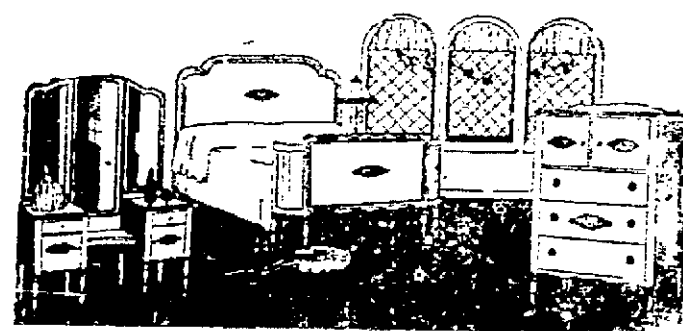


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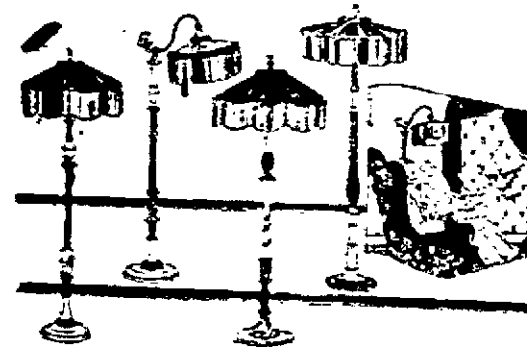
Give something that will give years of pleasure and comfort—something of beauty and utility. A new living room suite will serve this purpose well. An attractive suite, upholstered in velour, with loose spring-seat cushions in tapestry. The pieces are of generous size and are very comfortable. It is priced at **\$149.75**



A New Bedroom

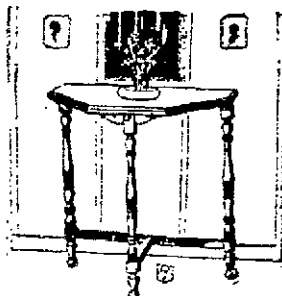
For "her" gift why not a new bedroom suite? Her bedroom is her pride so what would please her more than so beautiful a suite as the one pictured? It means a distinctive bedroom, she will be proud to show her friends. It is in a beautiful French walnut with burl ornamental panels on the fronts. The pieces are of generous size. Three major pieces are priced for this special Christmas selling at **\$198.75**

A SPECIAL DISPLAY OF GIFT LAMPS



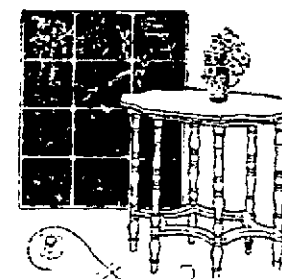
Glowing with Holiday Cheer

Among the many beautiful lamps in this wonderful assortment you will find something to please those remaining on your shopping list. Piano lamps, bridge lamps, reading lamps, in a wide range of designs. Bases in polychrome or old gold and black finishes. Shades are of silk. All priced very low.



Console Table in Antique Mahogany

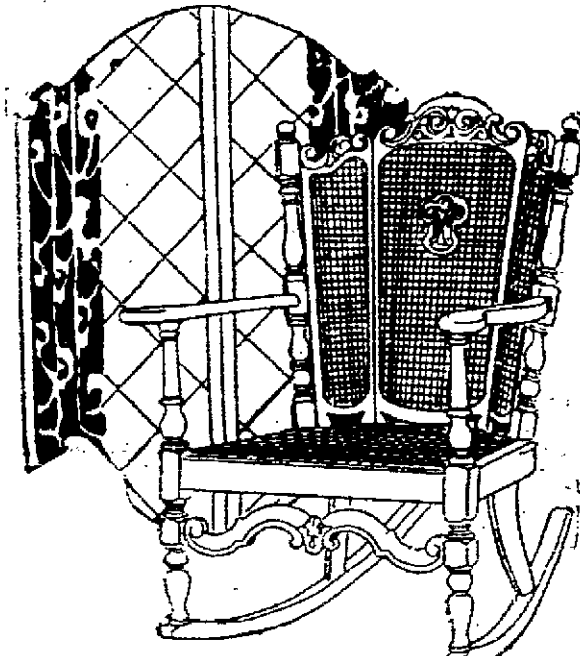
This console table beautifully designed and fashioned in antique walnut is the making of the reception hall. Any woman will be delighted to receive one. We ask only **\$3.85**



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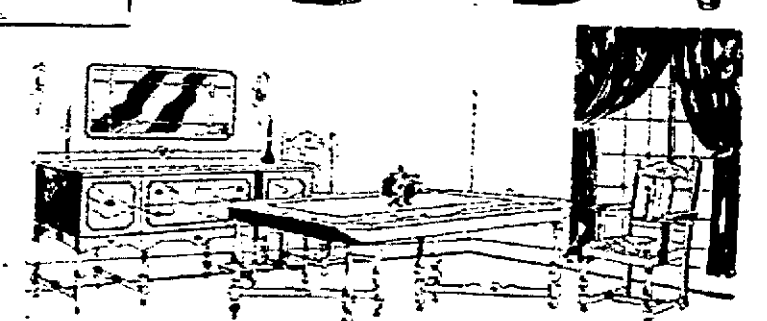
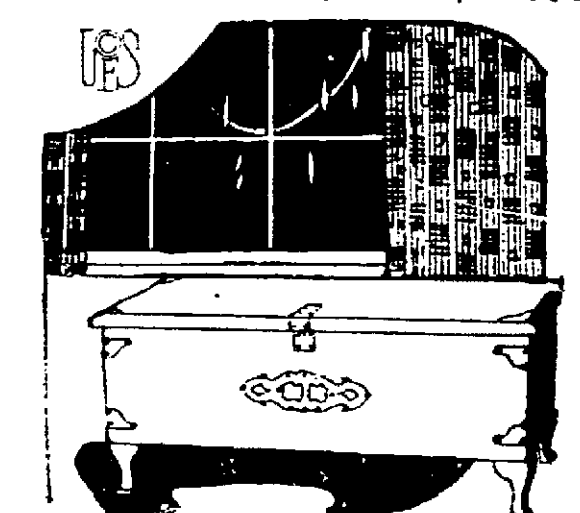
Our low prices and easy terms will help you make this the merriest, happiest Christmas that you have ever known. Shop early.



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HOW TO MAIL XMAS PARCELS

Postoffice Gives Rules to Aid Santa

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—"Pack well and mail early" is the advice of the post office department to all who want their Christmas presents and

CHRISTMAS MAIL

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—If you want your Christmas mail to reach its destination in time mail it on the following dates: the post office department suggests:

Gifts and cards addressed to points within one day's travel not later than Dec. 20;

Addressed to points within 2 days travel not later than Dec. 18. Within 3 days' travel not later than Dec. 16.

For more distant points not later than Dec. 14.

For local delivery not later than Dec. 22.

greetings delivered in time and in good order.

Year by year the Christmas mail rush reaches its peak so late that in spite of every effort on the part of the postal service, it can not all be delivered by Christmas day. The post office department here has made public instructions which if followed by the majority of those who use the mails, would put the Christmas mail distribution upon an efficient plane.

Limit on Size

The first and last of the department's instructions is to mail early. Put "Don't open until Christmas" signs on packages if desired, but mail them early. Other admonitions to those who want their Christmas mail delivered before Christmas are:

1. Wrap parcels securely with heavy paper and strong twine. Christmas parcels get into veritable mountains of mail and should be prepared to undergo the ordeal.

2. Fragile articles should be marked FRAGILE and surrounded with heavy cardboard.

3. Mailed address and return address plainly.

4. Be sure the postage is fully prepaid.

5. No parcel may be more than 34 inches in length and girth combined. For delivery locally and in 1st and 3rd zones 70 pounds is the maximum weight; beyond that 50 pounds.

Bar on Notes

6. All Christmas cards and parcels should be mailed from 4 days to two weeks earlier than mail would take to reach the same destination under ordinary conditions. For example, gifts addressed to points within one day's travel should be mailed not later than Dec. 20.

7. The early mailing of Christmas cards is just as important as early mailing of anything else.

8. Christmas stickers of any description must not be placed on the address side of mail matter.

9. Written matter of any sort must not be included in parcels. If you want to write a note to accompany a parcel put it in a stamped envelope attached to the parcel.

10. Special delivery postage will hasten delivery, but it does not mean the parcel is registered or insured.

IN NO MAN'S SEA



Picture of Black Horror In Which Explorer is Last

Cruiser Trenton Fails to Attempt To Locate The Liev Eiriksson and His Daring Skipper

EDITOR'S NOTE: M. J. Ackerman of NEA Service and the Port Arthur News was the only photographer to accompany the expedition of the cruiser Trenton in its vain attempt to find the Liev Eiriksson and his crew. Here is an exclusive story of the great hardships faced by the occupants of the last sailing boat.

By M. J. ACKERMAN.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—There is a crossing infinity of frozen black water beneath a somber sky dome filled with snow, sleet, rain and meaning word gusts.

This is the North Atlantic in November, where the 42-foot Liev Eiriksson is lost.

I saw this overpowering, fearsome, fascinating scene. I went on the cruiser Trenton on the 11-day search for the little sailboat and its crew of adventurers.

The experienced officers and men of the Trenton trip was simply an item on their list. A cruise that whatever the storm gods might send, on occasion the crew might see the ship and clearness of sight.

The Trenton sailed from New York toward the banks of Newfoundland, took up the search there into the middle of the ocean, angled southward to check up the report of a derelict, crossed the vast blue river of the Gulf stream and returned empty-handed.

The Liev Eiriksson, bearing W. W. Nutting and his party, had sailed from Greenland early in September.

Will Turn Farmer To Prove He's No Liar

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 20.—Doris here in Milwaukee a secretary of a chamber of commerce is going to turn farmer just to prove he isn't a liar.

When Paul T. Vickers, secretary of the local chamber, took some long-sounding specimens to the Dallas State fair and told visitors at his booth that these vegetable deities would grow up again upon only enough for a meal on their side, they didn't call him the madman even, but they looked as if they thought he was furnishing a little extra West Texas wind.

Vickers swears that several farmers told him about this freakish vegetable and its freakish reproducing ways and declared that he is going to grow them in quantity just to show all corners that they are the real article and so that he may be able to bet on a legitimate "huff" when people doubt his word at the fair next year.

BAD TEETH Will Tear Down Your Health

Don't wait until you are sick to see about your teeth. See us. We examine them free. We are going to give special prices on all dental work for the month of November.

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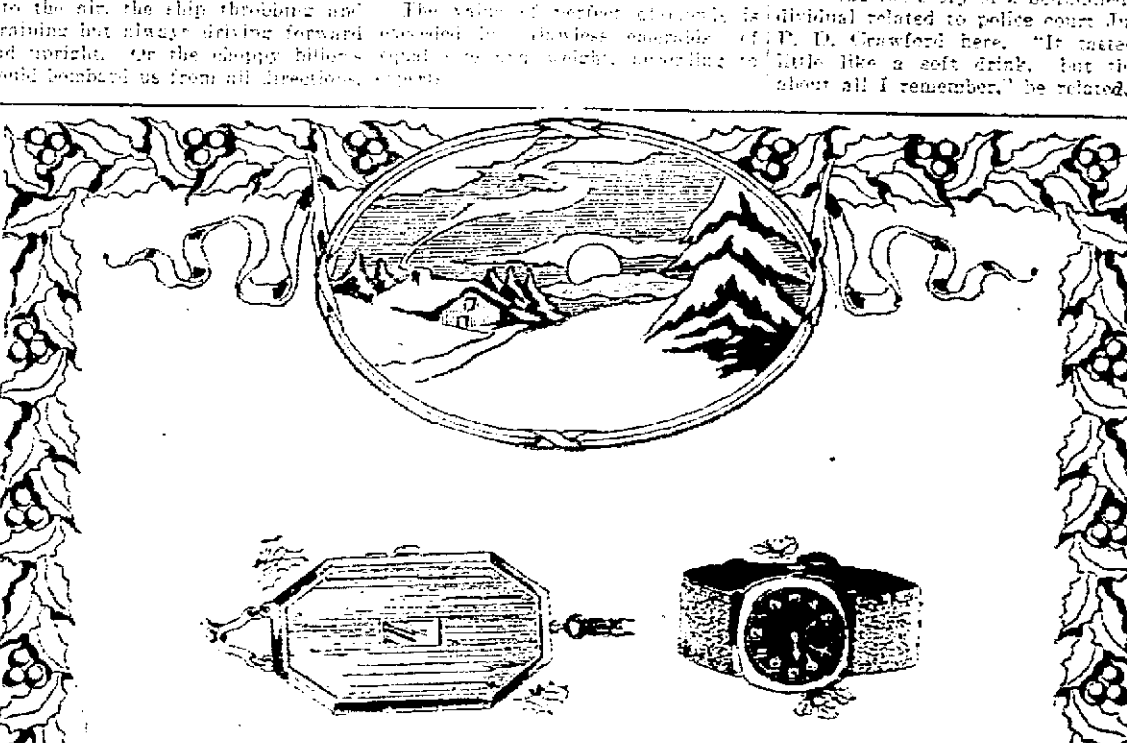
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FRANCE SEEKS EXILE'S HELP

Caillaux Recalled to Aid in Finances

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—The French budget for the present year will show a deficit of about 200 million dollars, which for the most part will not be met by increased taxation but by the issuance of a loan, this piling up France's debt against herself still higher. But, almost simultaneously with the admission that France's financial structure has not yet been made secure, it has been announced that Joseph Caillaux, the most brilliant financier in France, has been recalled from exile.

Gets His Chance

Caillaux attempted to abort the war by a compromise with Germany, and was banished as a "defeatist." But, the welcome being extended to him by politicians in Paris is a sign that France now realizes if the war could have been stopped by a general compromise, France and the rest of the world would be better off today.

Caillaux is to be given his chance again. Clemenceau is too old, and the other veteran statesmen of the war have tried and failed to restore France's financial equilibrium.

Caillaux has the technical ability to accomplish the task. Whether he has the strength of purpose and whether he can reorganize a sufficiently strong political following to give him the necessary parliamentary support are more doubtful elements in the equation.

His Big Problem

The problem of French finance which faces him is monumental. The forthcoming budget for next year will probably total about \$1,950,000,000. Of this amount, more than one half, or \$940,000,000, must go to take care of the public debt, and nearly one fifth, or \$380,000,000, will have to be used for the army. This leaves \$440,000,000 for all governmental costs and the non-permanent reparations expenses. That is to say, on the return of Caillaux from exile, the French government is spending 75 cents out of every dollar it collects from the people in paying interest and military charges.

MAYOR 'BLACK JACKED' INTO GIVING HOLIDAY

DALLAS, Nov. 20.—Mayor Louis Blaylock, 70-year-old director of Dallas' city government, was "black-jacked" into giving the city hall "gang" a holiday.

It all came about when the mayor claimed he was "black-jacked" into giving the city hall "gang" a holiday. The mayor declared the official holiday, but defended himself to unfortunate newspapermen.

"It always has been the custom, so what could I do? They strangled me into doing it, but I wish to be on record, however, that I didn't like it."

The mayor said his plans for the day called for routine work.

'SOFT' DRINK FURNISHES HIM HARD LUCK STORY

DALLAS, Nov. 20.—Inspired by a desire to take a drink in a soft-drink stand, he woke up in the city jail. This was the story of a bedridden individual related to police court Judge P. D. Crawford here. "I tasted a little like a soft drink, but that's about all I remember," he related.

Sabine Pass News

A program was given Monday morning by the first grade room as follows: Song by first grade; solo by Miss Pauline Morris; song by first grade; recitation by Holmes Adamson; recitation by Ella Mae Miller; recitation by J. Loftis; talk by J. N. Nutting.

Miss Tank and Brad Johnson escorted to Beaumont Thursday to spend Thanksgiving day with their sister, Mrs. C. Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. George Townsend and family, Carrie, Lou and Morris Townsend of Nederland spent Thanksgiving in the home of Mrs. W. A. Armiger here.

R. Barefield of Port Arthur spent Thanksgiving in the home of W. A. Vaughn.

The Mabel Epworth league met Sunday night with a large attendance and was led by Carlton Adamson.

The Women's Missionary society met Monday evening with a social service lesson.

A play was given Thursday night "The Old Village School," by the Epworth league with the following characters: L. O. Odum, schoolmaster; Carlton Adamson, Pa. Honesuckles; Noah Burch, Ma. Honesuckles; Byron and Cora Lee Johnson, the Honesuckle twins (Sarah and Elizabeth); Brad Johnson, Mica Flint; Charles Krebs, Timothy Tench; Katherine Johnson, The Giggler; Leah Johnson, Cry Baby; Ambrose Gillette, Smart Alex; William Martens, John Bull; Frances Yarbrough, Polly Honesuckle; Henry McGraw, John Peter St. Johns; Eliza Adamson, Hannah Maria Honesuckles; William Brown, Ant. Grover Cleveland; Eva Mae Reeder, Anne Plunket; Lillian Davis, Providence; Bessie Mae Welch, Patience; O. D. Adamson, Pat; the stuttering Irish boy; Miss Norris, Lily Green; Ed Welch, her beau. Refreshments were sold after the play. Games were played and there was a bazaar.

U. S. HAS ONE PHONE FOR EVERY 8 PERSONS

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 20.—The United States is the only country in the world which has one telephone for every eight persons, according to the Pennsylvania Public Utilities information bureau.

ONE PIANO TO EVERY 321 PERSONS IN U. S.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—One piano for every 321 persons in the United States is the present yearly rate of piano production in this country, according to A. G. Gullerston, piano manufacturer.

POSTAL 'ACE' GETS 25 YEARS

Convicted of Plotting Two Million Robbery

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—William J. Faby, "Ace" of postal inspectors' to day was sentenced to serve 25 years in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga., by Judge Adam C. C. C. in federal court here for plotting the \$2,000,000 robbery of a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad mail train at London, Ill., June 12.

James Murray, Chicago politician, was given a similar sentence. The pair was convicted by a jury Tuesday on testimony of the robbers and Faby's associate inspectors.

The highest station on any standard-gauge railway in the world is Tiello, west of the boundary line between Brazil and Peru, at an elevation of 15,935 feet.

Democrats Not to Punish Its Desecrators

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—Senate democrats have no intention of following the lead of the republicans in punishing those who deserted the party to support Senator La Follette, their leaders indicated today.

Senator Burton K. Wheeler, who ran with La Follette on the independent ticket, will be restored to the party ranks in good standing as will other democrats who abandoned John W. Davis to support the Wisconsin senator.

TRIES GET DRINK BUT GETS FISH INSTEAD

SAN BENITO, Nov. 20.—Now in rises Pablo Comasolana with the latest story on fish.

Pablo, laborer on a farm near here, lay down by a small stream to get a drink. As he scooped the water up in his hands a large gar attached himself to his fingers, inserting them badly. The story was told after Pablo came to town to get his hands dressed.

TOMORROW December 1st

And the most modern machinery time offers, will start so that your health will be safeguarded. YOU can, starting tomorrow, get PASTEURIZED MILK delivered at your door daily, and at the same cost that you have been paying.

HAVE YOU

Phoned your name to the PASTEURIZED MILK MAN? Then act now.

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Home Comfort With Economy

Is your home ready for the cold days just ahead? If not, you had better not wait any longer. Your health and comfort demand that you install that heater NOW. We have one of the finest lines of heaters we have ever carried. Good looking heaters that are designed for comfort and economy. Better see our stock at once.

HEATERS 85c DOWN Balance Easy

Complete line of high class heaters. Cole's Hot Blast Wood Heaters Coal Heaters Wood and Coal Cook Stoves Leader Hot Blast Low Prices

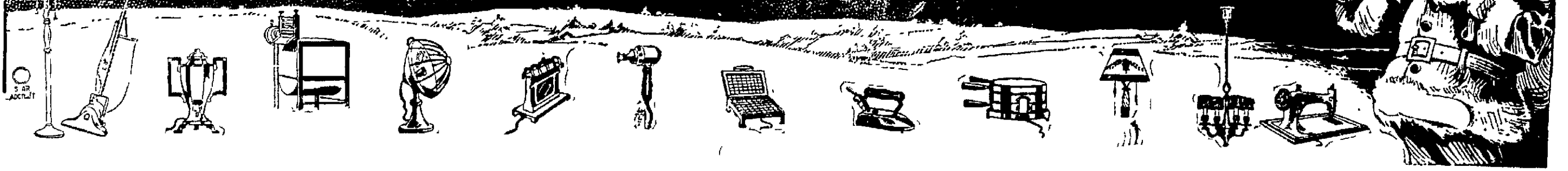
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GIVE SOMETHING ELECTRICAL

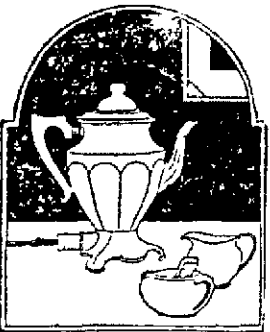


Spending money on Christmas tinsel and trumpery is a waste. Gifts which are appreciated are those which render service—service long after the novelty of some worthless toy or bauble has worn off.

Give something useful, something that will be of every-day practical value, that will make the recipient of your gift remember you every day for your

thoughtfulness, consideration and regard.

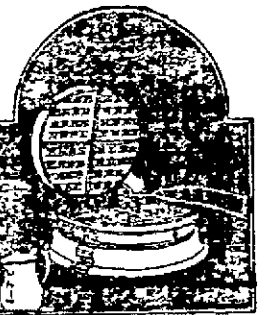
"Give something Electrical" is the wisest thing you can bear in mind this Christmas. Choose your gifts from those things which will give both pleasure and benefit. There is an "electrical gift" for every member of your family and every one of your friends. Let us show you the many different serviceable gifts.



Electric Percolators

For making the best of coffee. A variety of designs in aluminum, nickel, silver and china.

\$8.50 to \$19.00



Electric Waffle Irons

Waffles crispier and lighter than you ever served. Attractive as well as serviceable. In many designs.

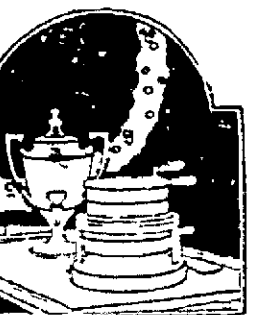
\$13.50 to \$18.00



Electric Toasters

The indispensable appliance for excellent toast. Toasted perfectly with the linen and silver and gives the most perfect appearance of your breakfast.

\$5.00 to \$9.00



Electric Grills

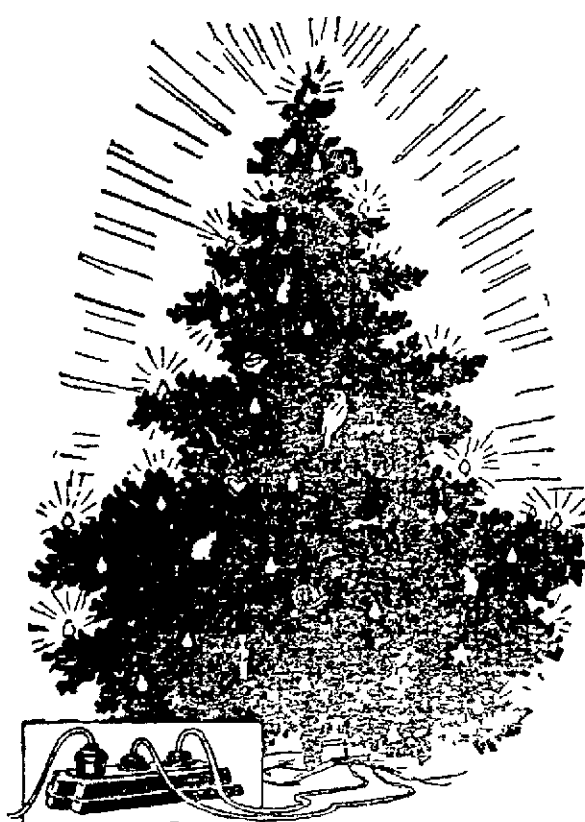
Most convenient for grilling all kinds of meats. A gift that is sure to be appreciated and well received.

\$12.50 and \$15



Nothing will please your wife more than an Electric Sewing Machine. It will make sewing quicker and easier. These machines may be obtained in a portable type or in a console type which offers the advantage of a machine and the attractiveness of an excellent piece of furniture.

\$75.00 to \$130.00



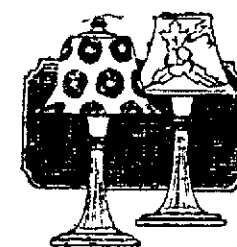
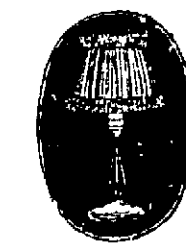
EQUIP YOUR TREE WITH ELECTRIC LIGHTS

Nothing adds more to the attractiveness of the children's Christmas than a beautifully decorated and lighted Christmas tree. Keep it burning during the holidays with tiny electric light sets. The children can play around it with absolute safety.

Prices Range From

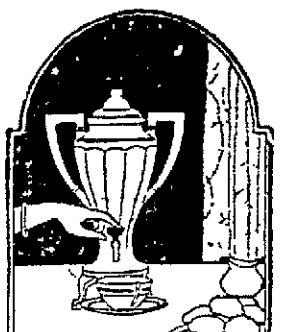
\$3.00 to \$9.00

Ride the Street Cars No Parking Worries



Boudoir Lamps add much to the appearance of any dressing table. They are available in different colors to match the color of any room.

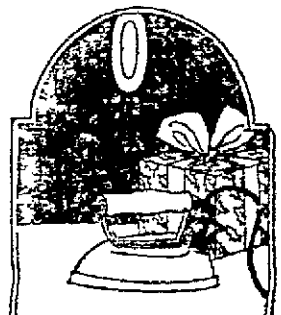
\$7.50 Pair



Electric Urn Sets

Beautiful sets which appeal to any woman who entertains often. Finishes which harmonize with the very best silver.

\$42.50 to \$67.50



Electric Irons

An electric iron is a gift which will save much time and labor. It is a highly appreciated gift in any home.

\$4.50 to \$7.50

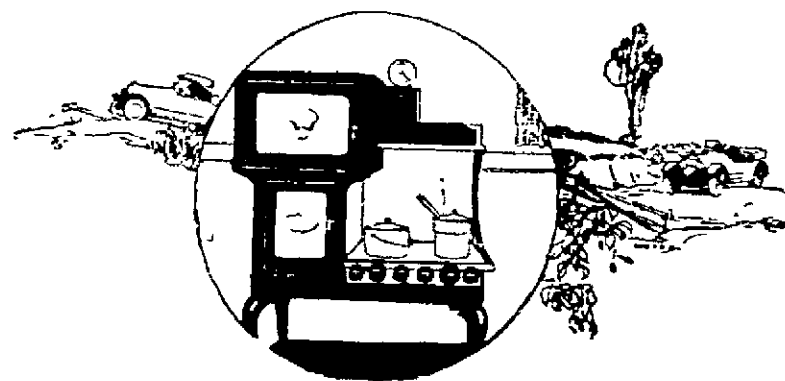
Ride the Street Cars No Parking Worries



Electric Warming Pads

For either grandmother or baby, an Electric Warming Pad brings comfort which will be appreciated for years.

\$8.00 to \$10.00



Electric Ranges

For a gift to the whole family and especially your wife, there is nothing that can surpass the electric range. It is a gift which will give the maximum comfort, cleanliness and economy in the kitchen. Any electric range may be bought on the partial payment plan.

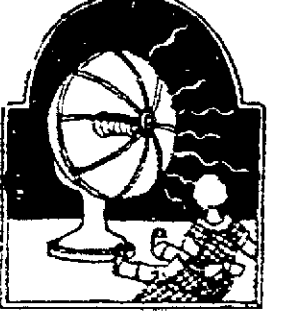
Prices \$75.00 to \$300.00

The Grand Prize Eureka

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VACUUM CLEANER

Special Christmas Offer—\$8.50 set of attachments free with every Cleaner.

Cash Price \$47.50



Electric Radiators

Every home has a chilly corner. Warm it up with an Electric Radiator and watch the winters warm up too.

\$5.50 to \$10.50

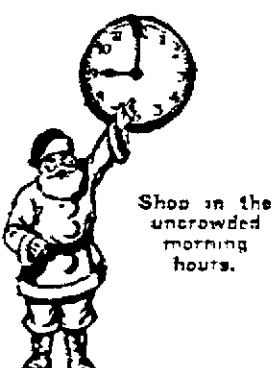
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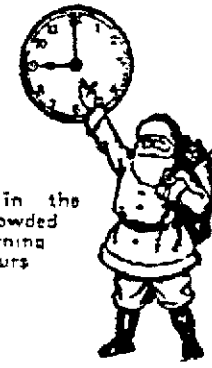
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Shop in the uncrowded morning hours.



Shop in the uncrowded morning hours.

PLANS LARGE CLUB HOUSE

Nederland Man Signs Up 50,000 Acres

Special to The News.
NEDERLAND, Nov. 29.—W. A. Barnes, a former resident of Tyler county, but who is now residing in Nederland, has secured hunting privileges on 50,000 acres in Tyler county and has opened up a club site for hunting purposes.

Barnes plans to erect a spacious lodge and club house to accommodate hunters and hunting parties wishing to spend the week-ends in the vicinity.

Had No Speedometer, How Could He Speed?

NEDERLAND, Texas, Nov. 29.—It doesn't pay to speed through Nederland, Judge M. W. Oakley, justice of the peace, warns.

Judge Oakley took occasion this week to prove his warning when a 16-year-old chap was yanked up before him to stand trial for mistaking the vicinity of Nederland in general and Nederland's section of the paved highway in particular as a race track. The youth was reprimanded and released without fine, although he was warned by the magistrate not to speed.

His parents remonstrated that the boy couldn't have been driving fast, because the car had no speedometer. At least Judge Oakley tells that as the substance of the argument presented in the youth's behalf.

Nederland Schools Get Fire Escape

Special to The News.
NEDERLAND, Nov. 29.—New fire escapes are being erected on both the school buildings in Nederland, and will greatly add to the facilities of the structures.

A new heating plant, similar to the one installed in the new high school building, is being sought for the junior grade building, and may be installed in the near future.

Twelve Drew Fines On Speeding Charges

Special to The News.
NEDERLAND, Texas, Nov. 29.—Twelve fines have been imposed on reckless drivers and speeders in Nederland since the first of November. Judge M. W. Oakley reported today, two cases having been appealed and one dismissed.

Eight of those appearing before the magistrate on charges of excessive speed driving, gave Port Arthur as their home.

CLASS ALARM CLOCK INSTALLED IN SCHOOL

Special to The News.
NEDERLAND, Nov. 29.—A huge alarm clock that works automatically operating throughout the day to notify each room in the building that class periods have ended or begun is being installed in the new high school.

COURT ROOM LOOKS LIKE SHELL PLANT

Special to The News.
NEDERLAND, Nov. 29.—Spoken upon shells, long rows of them strung out all in a line on the huge court room that occupies Judge M. W. Oakley's office here, were attracting considerable attention, speculation and discussion Saturday.

"Nope, haven't opened up an oyster," the judge declared, "last year hunting a little."

The judge said he spent the Thanksgiving holidays hunting.

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OUT OUR WAY



By WILLIAMS

XMAS TREE FETE PLANNED

Port Neches Schools Also to Give Play

Special to The News.
PORT NECHES, Nov. 29.—With the Thanksgiving season over, the citizens and members of different organizations in Port Neches are turning their attention to preparations for Christmas. From the plans under discussion there will be no lack of entertainment during the holiday week, with trees and programs of a variety to suit every taste.

The members of the Baptist Sunday school organizations, from teachers to pupils in every department, are awaiting the arrivals of the necessary script that rehearsals for "The Children of Bethlehem" may be commenced. This is a well known religious drama with the Christ child as the central figure. Real entertainment is promised those who attend as they have been considerable ability in this class of portrayal developed among the Sunday school pupils and the production is to be elaborately staged.

In addition plans for Christmas trees in the church are under discussion and the members of the denomination are working as a unit for the success of the various events planned.

There is a community tree celebration tentatively under way with the teacher-parent organization of the public schools arranging the details.

Next week, as a pre-Christmas season offering, the third number of the Lyceum course will be presented in the school auditorium.

W. A. NEWTON BUYS LAND FOR NEW HOME

Special to The News.
NEDERLAND, Texas, Nov. 29.—According to announcements made here this morning by real estate dealer W. A. Newton has purchased property in the Waggoner addition and plans to erect a new home there.

Public has been somewhat lax in Nederland for several months, and the renewed business prospects expected to follow on the heels of the national and state elections has failed to materialize here.

THANKSGIVING DAY QUIT IN NEDERLAND

Special to The News.
NEDERLAND, Texas, Nov. 29.—Nederland was quiet on Thanksgiving day.

STREET SIGNS ARE PLACED

Nederland Also Numbers Its Houses

Special to The News.
NEDERLAND, Texas, Nov. 29.—For the first time in the history of the community, houses are being numbered in Nederland.

The work being done in conjunction with the chamber of commerce drive to letter and designate with signs all houses and streets in the community, is being rapidly carried toward completion.

Men are now employed digging holes, putting up posts for signs and putting the numbers on the signs.

T. J. MOSELEY HOME NEARLY COMPLETED

NEDERLAND, Nov. 29.—The T. J. Moseley home in the W. K. McCauley addition here is being rapidly completed.

The house, which is situated in the 12 of land near the new high school building, will be one of the most attractive new residences of Nederland when it is finished.

PIPE FOR GAS MAIN REACHES NEDERLAND

NEDERLAND, Nov. 29.—Twenty-four miles of gas pipe, being shipped here by the Magnolia Petroleum company for the purpose of being laid to the Nederland plant.

NEDERLAND SCHOOLS OPEN AGAIN MONDAY

NEDERLAND, Nov. 29.—Schools were opened Monday, following a break since the opening of the year.

A number of Nederland teachers and school children left the community on Monday to observe the day, but are expected back for the opening of school.

THIRD BARBER SHOP OPENS IN NEDERLAND

Special to The News.
NEDERLAND, Nov. 29.—A new barber shop, making a total of three in this community, has been opened here in the J. R. Ware building by L. T. Landry.

Landry is operating a shop of two chairs. All the shops here are unionized.

NEDERLAND C. OF C. WILL MEET TUESDAY

Special to The News.
NEDERLAND, Texas, Nov. 29.—Nederland's chamber of commerce will hold its regular monthly meeting Tuesday night of the incoming week.

It was announced here today by officials of the organization.

A large attendance of the membership is anticipated, as several matters of importance are to be discussed. No official announcement as to the topics scheduled to be brought before the body was made.

TEXAS COMPANY MAN CONFINED BY ILLNESS

PORT NECHES, Nov. 29.—Assistant Superintendent T. S. Decker of the Texas Company plant at Port Neches was reported as confined to his home by illness Friday.

Ford

Special Holiday Sale

For a short time only, we will offer extraordinary easy terms on NEW FORD ROADSTERS AND TOURING CARS.

We are offering these terms, that every person in Port Arthur who has contemplated a Ford car for Christmas can on these extremely easy terms, pay

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\$99.00

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AND DRIVE THE CAR OUT

Now is the time to act, this offer will only last a limited time. And remember you are buying brand new cars, on terms that perhaps, have never been offered you before. These cars sold on the same basis of service that if we required our regular terms. Balance small regular monthly payments.

ACT NOW—DELAY MAY BE TOO LATE

Why not make this a Ford Christmas, for Father, Mother, Brother, Sister, and the entire family, you could not think of a gift that would offer 365 days of real pleasure, more simply than a Ford.

SMALL COST—AND PERFECT ENJOYMENT

CLOSED CARS AND TRUCKS

We will also offer for a limited time only, special terms on closed cars and trucks. You have been thinking of buying one of these models, NOW'S THE TIME TO PURCHASE, while the terms are extremely low.

No Trade-in Accepted On These Low Terms

LET'S MAKE IT A FORD FOR CHRISTMAS

LINN MOTOR CO.

Procter at Atlanta

Phones 12 and 13

SOVIET TO KEEP HER OILFIELDS

Will Grant No Concessions To Aliens

BAKU, ASSERBEIDJAN, Nov. 29.—The soviet government has no intention of granting a concession for the exploitation of the rich oil fields of Baku, according to a statement made by M. Barinov, the director of the Asserbeidjan Oil trust.

Barinov declared that whereas a year and two years ago the government had entertained propositions to permit foreign capital to take hold of the Baku deposits, this was not out of the question, in view of the progress which has since been made in the exploitation and refining of the product.

Next January work will be commenced on a new pipe line from Baku to Batumi on the Black Sea. The present pipe line carries only kerosene, but the projected pipe will bring the crude oil to Batumi, where it will be refined and prepared for export. The laying of the new pipe line from the Grouni wells to the Black Sea has already begun. The machines and materials for the operation are partly of Russian manufacture and partly imported from Germany and England.

Both these pipe lines are primarily intended to further the export of soviet oil on which, under present conditions the success of the petroleum industry here depends. Barinov frankly stated that the Asserbeidjan Oil trust, which manages the Baku field, has now on hand a surplus supply of 32,000,000 pounds (a pound is 2.21128 pounds) of petroleum

products, in the selling of which serious difficulties are being experienced. The internal market is saturated and will probably remain so for at least another year, in view of the poor harvest in the lower reaches of the Volga.

An English inventor has devised a portable camera, weighing only 30 pounds, that will detect hidden treasure or smuggled goods in brick walls or inside trunks.



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THE AD-VISER SERVICE IS FOR JUST ONE PURPOSE—to make better classified want advertising, to make it profitable for YOU.

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If you have a home, a room or an apartment you wish to rent, ask The Ad-Viser to suggest the kind of copy which will get a tenant quickly.

If you have some article you wish to sell by mail ask The Ad-Viser how this type of advertising can be made profitable.

If there is anything you want to know about a Classified Want Ad—its wording, classification, times to run—ask The Ad-Viser.

You furnish the want—The Ad-Viser will furnish the words and the way to express it profitably through News Want Ads.

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Traffic Demands More Highways, Else Auto Industry Will Begin to Suffer in Future

DEALERS LEAD ROAD SUPPORT

But Now He Must Boost New Routes

Automobile manufacturers who for years have seen the increased production of cars confound the prophecies of saturation of the automobile market should begin to realize that a new element has entered the picture and that it behooves them to prepare for it. Heretofore the prophecies of production saturation have based their prophecies on the supposed inability of the public to find any more money for automobiles. But the money continues to be found, and it will continue to be found probably for a long time if the prospective owners can find any place to run their automobiles in comfort and with pleasure. No one sees the congestion in our city streets and on our county highways without realizing that the saturation point of automobile production is not going to be reached by the purchasing power of the people, but by the capacity of our highways. Unless more and better highways are built and more and wider streets are opened the use of the automobile will become a diminishing utility or pleasure. The lesson to the automobile manufacturer should be plain. Hitherto he has fought every effort to make the automobile pay for any road or street construction. Maintaining he was willing to support because obviously the car was out on the road, but construction he held was the duty of the public and not that part of the public that operated the car. As a theory that may still be reasonable; but if the automobile manufacturer reads the signs a little better he will see that practically he had better do it all himself to help get new roads and streets because sooner or later—and very soon near our crowded centers—the demand for automobiles is going to be seriously diminished by the simple fact that there will be no place to run them.

FREE SERVICE FOUND COSTLY

Dealer Says Customers Readily Understand

There is a certain magnetism in the word "free" and a natural human inclination in the direction of anything that appears to be free, but in some of the cases it is not difficult to convince the average automobile buyer that paid service is usually preferable to so-called "free" service, according to E. P. Baker, local Dodge Brothers dealer.

"Doubtless we are helped materially," he added, "by the fact that Dodge Brothers have publicly announced repeatedly that they do not believe in so-called 'free' service. It is not simply a local policy of our own, but a principle laid down by headquarters and adhered to, I believe, by every dealer in the United States. The public has learned that Dodge Brothers conduct their business along sound lines and that anything they do benefits the purchaser as much as it does the factory."

"Consequently the man who seems inclined to talk about 'free' service usually begins by saying that there must be some good reason for not giving 'free' service, or Dodge Brothers would not take such a definite stand against it."

"Whereupon it becomes a simple matter for us to explain how Dodge Brothers assumed that when a man sets out to buy a car he was interested primarily in getting a good car, the most car, in fact, that he could get for a given sum. What might be thrown in with the car in the way of 'free' necessities and 'free' service was of secondary consideration. In fact, these items were of such absurdly minor consequence, compared with the chief objective—that of getting a car that represented real dollar-for-dollar value—that they deserved no consideration whatever."

"Having come to this conclusion, Dodge Brothers determined to have the price of their cars wholly on an actual value, with a fair profit to themselves and dealers. To enable them to 'give away' necessities and 'free' service, it would be necessary to make the margin of profit on the car large enough to absorb these extra costs. That could be done only by raising the list price of the car, and this they refused to do."

"So, under Dodge Brothers policy, the buyer pays only for his car."

"Under the so-called 'free' service policy, every owner pays a maintenance fee for the upkeep of every other owner's car—and he pays this fee in advance."

"Under Dodge Brothers policy, the owner is not so penalized. He pays a fair, predetermined price for service, but he pays only as he needs it, and he pays only for his own."

"The logic of the proposition is perfectly plain. That is why most people have no difficulty in understanding why 'free' service is not as 'free' as it looks, and that our charges are entirely reasonable and wholly justified by the principles under which the car was sold."

Wrench Improvements

It sometimes happens in repair work that a nut must be turned which is so located that the wrench cannot be given sufficient movement to engage the flat of the nut. Usually the difficulty can be overcome by removing another part, but this is seldom desirable. By notching the wrench it will engage the corners of the nut. This will permit it to be turned sufficiently to engage the flat of the nut, thus giving the wrench twelve positions on the nut instead of six. The notch should be used only for light work, the nut should not be drawn tight while held in the notch unless absolutely necessary, as the force will be easily sprung. —Automobile Digest.

Traffic Talks

LONDON BOBBY A GOOD TRAFFIC OFFICER

"Keep to the left" is the warning which first greets the American motorist in London and rural England. Secondly, he will notice that nearly all of the cars are equipped with right-hand drives.

It is interesting to recall here why motor cars and vehicles of all kinds keep to the left in England. Years ago, according to the story, all traffic kept to the right and when the drivers of the great coaches and with their six and eight horses, cracked their long whips, they frequently struck pedestrians on the sidewalk to their right. To protect pedestrians from this stinging whip, vehicles were pushed over to the left-hand side.

All things considered London traffic is wonderfully well handled. The London "Bobby," as the English policeman is known affectionately to the English public, is respected the world over. And to him must go much of the credit for the able manner in which traffic is handled in London. The casual student of traffic might propose synchronization of traffic in London, but not if he first studies a London street map. Streets do not run at right angles like they do in most American cities. The ablest traffic men in London who have been to America and studied American traffic methods say that synchronization is not practical. And they should know.

There are small lights on the front fenders of all automobiles to indicate the extreme width of the car. These lights add to the attractiveness

of the car and date from war days when air raids were common and street lights few. They have remained as a fixture.

Motor cars are permitted to park on either side of the street pointed in any direction. A car on the right side of the street is permitted to cross through approaching traffic on the left-hand side and park on the left-hand side with the car pointed in the right hand direction. I doubt whether that is permitted anywhere in the United States.

American cities have learned that the turning of motor cars has much to do with the speed with which traffic is moved. Turns are not permitted at all at some corners. Left hand turns are not permitted at others. Complete turns are not permitted at others. But in London turns of any kind seem to be permitted anywhere. And the reason for it is that London streets are so irregular.

London traffic moves more rapidly than that of New York but not as rapidly as that of Paris. Smallness of cars makes possible a more flexible traffic than in New York.

The student of traffic who goes to London and Paris and the other continental cities and then returns to New York realizes that New York has probably the best traffic regulation in the world. And New York should have because America has long been the leader of the automotive industry. Of the 18,000,000 cars in the world more than 15,000,000 are in America.

Freight Costs on Chevrolets To Be Reduced After January

Local Dealer Says New Plan to Solve Problem in Handling Autos for Port Arthur Buyers

A plan begun by the Chevrolet Motor company in 1922 to cut down freight costs of shipments by paralleling each of their assembly plants with a factory for the Fisher Body corporation, which builds all Chevrolet closed bodies, will be completed by the first of the year when the final factory for the Fisher Body corporation will be in operation at the Tarrytown, N. Y., assembly plant, according to word received here by Phil Inman, local dealer.

A factory for the Fisher Body corporation to build Chevrolet bodies is now in operation at six of the seven Chevrolet assembly plants. The one at Tarrytown, N. Y., is the last to be completed.

There has been a close connection between the establishment of the Chevrolet assembly plants and the gradual reduction in price of the Chevrolet car in the last five years, particularly since the Fisher Body corporation factories have been established at each Chevrolet assembly plant, Inman declares.

Chevrolet assembly plants were first established at Flint, Mich., St. Louis, Mo., Tarrytown, N. Y., and Oakland, Cal. from 1917 on. In 1923 assembly plants were established by Chevrolet at Janesville, Wis., Cincinnati, Ohio, and Buffalo, N. Y., and plants for the Fisher Body corporation were built at these points at the same time. The year previous, however, Fisher body building plants had been established at the Chevrolet assembly plants at Flint, Mich., St. Louis, and Oakland.

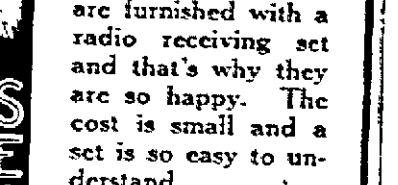
During this period has come about a number of reductions in the price of Chevrolet cars, due in great measure to the economies effected by such assembly plants, which included also the body building factories. From early in 1920 through 1924, a period of five years, there have been reductions in the price of the Chevrolet cars, totaling approximately 35 per cent.

In addition to the economies effected and the consequent price reduction, there has also been a steady marked improvement in the quality of the Chevrolet cars. New features have been incorporated from time to time which added to the comfort and convenience of the owner.

The new factory for the Fisher

Body corporation at Tarrytown, N. Y., has already been completed, equipment will shortly be installed, and it should be in operation at the beginning of the year.

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BUICK DRIVER SETS UP MARK

Stays In Car 55 Hours For Record Run

What is perhaps the world's record for endurance was made last week by C. F. "Outdoor" Franklin in a new 1925 standard six Buick car.

The Howard Automobile company, Pacific Coast Buick distributor, report that Franklin drove 1600 miles in less than 55 hours without leaving the driver's seat.

The record run was made from the Canadian border to the Mexican border to Tijuana, Mexico, without a relief driver and without leaving the wheel, arriving at Tijuana the next day at 2:40 p. m.

Sixteen hundred miles continuous driving is a feat that few would undertake, and in making this record, Franklin certainly makes a strong bid for the hall of fame.

The standard six proved its stability by the wonderful manner in which it stood this extraordinary test. Not once did the car falter. The Buick valve-in-head motor which is built for power, speed and economy, was in perfect running order at the end of the long grind, and the gas consumption averaged better than 18 miles to the gallon.

The fact that only one pint of water was needed to fill the radiator at the end of the trip indicates the efficiency of the Buick motor.

Official observers appointed by Los Angeles newspapers checked the trip from start to finish, and report that not once did the motor or car stop running.

Franklin says that only the perfect performance of the car and tires and the easy steering of the Buick made it possible for him to establish this new world's endurance record.

Repairing Threads

To recut badly damaged threads, take a nut of the proper size and saw a slot in one side. Spread the slot slightly with a screwdriver or metal wedge and turn the nut over the damaged threads until it reaches the good threads. Remove the wedge and draw together with a wrench so as to tighten the nut on the threads, then turn it back over the damaged part. The split nut will always follow the old thread but it may be necessary to repeat the operation several times to recut the thread on the damaged section. —Automobile Digest.

Insulating Handles

In working a car electrical connections it is frequently desirable to insulate the handle of the pliers to prevent the possibility of receiving a shock. This may be readily accomplished by placing a piece of heavy wall rubber tubing over each handle. —Automobile Digest.

Washing Stunt

By attaching a hose to the end of a pipe, the burden of washing the car will be greatly lessened. In this manner the force of the water is broken, which prevents marring the finish of the car, and avoids slashing. In addition to this, only one hand is required, and inaccessible places are easily reached. —Automobile Digest.

Secure an old barrel, cut out a section, and when removing or replacing tires on the rim, the work can be done more easily and quickly, and besides, the barrel can be used for storing supplies, which would otherwise lie in a corner of the garage. —Automobile Digest.

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4. FLYWHEEL—Completely housed. Starting teeth protected from road damage and accumulation of mud and dirt.
5. CLUTCH—Multiple disc—completely housed.
6. TRANSMISSION—Completely protected. Shifting mechanism sealed.
7. UNIVERSAL JOINT—Completely enclosed in ball joint at front end of torque tube—lubricated automatically from transmission.
8. PROPELLER SHAFT—Buick's third member drive, which is a novel unit, completely encloses the propeller shaft. It is impossible for road dirt to work from the shaft into the universal joint or rear axle.
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Removing Screws
Small screws are frequently difficult to remove as they become rusted tight so that the leverage of the screwdriver is not great enough on the slot spreads in applying the screwdriver. In such cases the head of the screw can be filed square and a spanner wrench used to remove. If the spanner wrench is hardened, it will be possible to hammer it home over the head of the screw and thus reshape it. —Automobile Digest.

OPERATION OF AUTOS LOWER

Attitude of Public Compliance to Engineers

How much does it cost to operate and maintain an automobile?

Comparatively few automobile owners have more than a vague idea regarding what their car is costing them according to R. M. Hatfield, service manager of Olds Motor works, and for that reason do not realize the great strides made by manufacturers in reducing car operating costs and increasing efficiency and economy.

"Low operating cost is more or less taken for granted today," said Mr. Hatfield. "Automobile owners feel that it is not worth their time to keep accurate check on costs, and this attitude in itself is a decided compliment to engineering achievements that are adding to operating economy."

"Of course officials of automobile companies are fully aware of every improvement that results in more mileage or a lessening of the likelihood for repairs. That is part of their business. In fact tests are constantly being made at every factory to determine just what a car will do. Many of these tests show such surprising results that they never are made public, as it is feared that it would raise doubt as to their accuracy. It is realized that these tests are made with cars kept in excellent condition and driven by experts, and for that reason, it is possible that the results could not be duplicated by every automobile owner."

Repairing Fenders
Small dents in the fenders are unsightly, and are usually the hardest to remove, owing to the shortness of the beam. Hammering is helpful, but usually some marks are left, which are readily noticed. A much easier repair and one which leaves no indication that a repair has been made, is to fill the dent with solder. The dent is first scraped clean of all paint and polished with emery cloth, after which soldering paste is applied. A torch is then applied to the under side of the fender, while a piece of solder is built up slightly higher than the fender, it may be filed off flush. Sand papering and painting completes the repair. —Automobile Digest.

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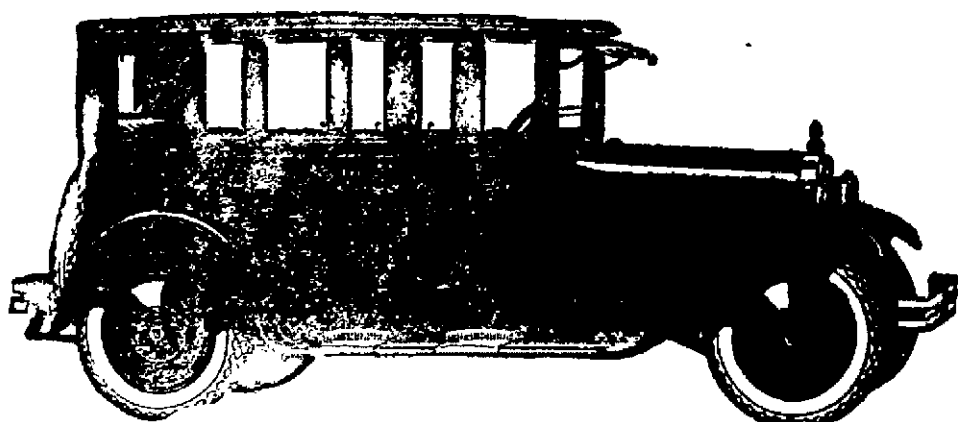
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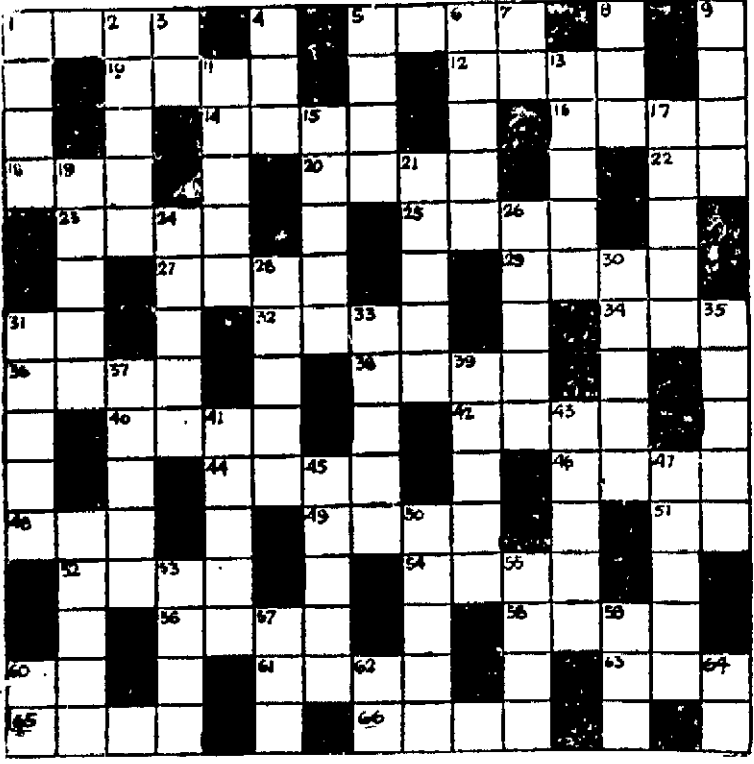
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THE NEWS' CROSSWORD PUZZLE



This black creation is not as fearful as it looks. True, the plan of this puzzle leaves many unkeyed letters in the vertical columns, but it is a splendid workout in four and five letter words, every word of which should be found in an abridged dictionary, though not necessarily in a pocket dictionary.

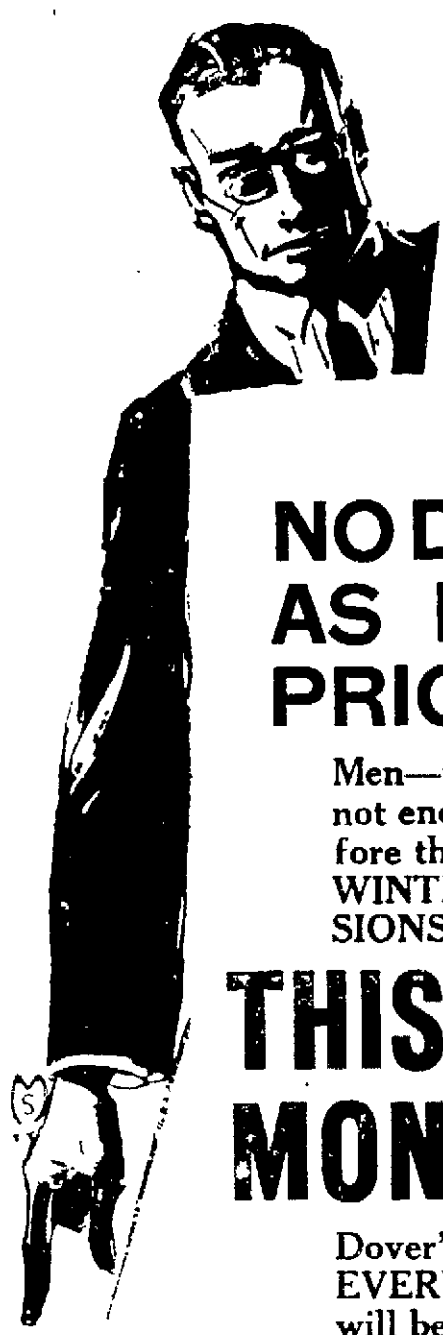
HORIZONTAL.

1. Any in a storm.
2. A couch.
3. Soft mud or slime.
4. Express.
5. Give forth.
6. Skillful.
7. She deer.
8. A friend in — is a friend indeed.
9. You and I objective.
10. Not false.
11. A small island.
12. A mark left by a wound.
13. Persuade onward.
14. Nominative case of 22 horizontal.
15. Slight.
16. Blood color.
17. Surface.
18. By mouth.
19. A plot of ground.
20. To see at a distance.
21. A sac containing diseased matter.
22. The snakes that crossword puzzles have been reminding you Cleopatra made famous.
23. A mythical, and, incidentally, very large bird.
24. Not fat.
25. The beginning of assinnity and the end of bias.
26. The bolsheviks killed the last one.
27. Same as 25 horizontal.
28. A preposition with the sense of "from the outside in."
29. Wings of houses.
30. A masculine, singular pronoun.
31. Semi-circular recess terminating in the choir or sanctuary of a church.
32. Even, contracted.
33. Globes.
34. Fragrance.

VERTICAL.

1. Pool.
2. A wanderer, but more easily identified as a common name for a dog.
3. A preposition formed by the 20th and 15th letters of the alphabet.
4. Edge of a garment.
5. Location.
6. Supplies with food.
7. An overgrown hatchet.
8. Consumed.
9. Divisions of a play.
10. A small, three-masted ship.
11. Opposite a worker.
12. To accustom.
13. A flare used as a night railroad signal.
14. A fish-eating member of the vessel family.
15. A downy feathered duck.
16. Customary.
17. Soothe.
18. Friendly relation. (Do not confuse this with friendly relative.) (Color of white mixed with black. (Plural.)
19. A thin rake or biscuit.
20. Way or road traveled.
21. Sound or refuse of melted metal.
22. Long narrative poems concerning heroic deeds.
23. Countless years.
24. The nut of an oak.
25. A division or section of a wall or ceiling.
26. A one-masted vessel.
27. To analyze by the rules of grammar.
28. Exposed to the air.
29. Tunes.
30. A look of malice.
31. What hits your income.
32. Human limb.
33. Westward —.
34. As.
35. Opposite of yes.
36. Answer to yesterday's cross-word puzzle.

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U. S. Still Paying Veterans of 1912

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—The federal government is still paying pensions on account of the war of 1912 which ended more than a century ago, according to pension bureau records. With the longer lives assured by modern health conditions, the government may be expected to be still paying insurance growing out of the recent world war in the year 2030. None of the actual veterans of the war of 1912 are still alive, but the pension bureau is paying pensions to 29 widows of veterans of that war. The oldest pensioner on the rolls is Habata Huff, of Louisville, Kentucky, widow of James Huff, a private in the Virginia militia in the war of 1812. She is 105 years old and until she dies will draw \$50 a month from the government.

PLAN HAPPY HUNTING GROUND FOR STATE

DALLAS, Nov. 29.—Suggestions for legislation designed to make the state a "happy hunting ground" filled with wild game of 11 descriptions, were drawn up at a meeting of the Texas Game and Fish Conservation commission by John Statton of Dallas, secretary-treasurer. Statton termed past legislation tending to promote game preserves as "buff" as there was no law which would support the plans.

MAITRE BACK FROM EL PASO CONVENTION

Henry Maitre, who has been in El Paso, Texas, for some time attending the general convention of the American Federation of Labor, has returned to Port Arthur. Maitre said today that the harmony and general good feeling prevalent at the conference was one of the paramount features.

AKRON TO BUILD SUPER AIR CRAFT

AKRON, O., Nov. 29.—Construction of a super-durable, more than twice as large as the ZR-3 or the Shenandoah, will commence here following the arrival from Germany of Dr. Karl Arnstein, noted Zeppelin engineer, to assume his duties as vice president of the Goodyear Zeppelin corporation.

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Mental Torture Is Tried as Speed Cure

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Nov. 29.—Mental torture is being tried out by the Cleveland police department to punish careless automobile drivers and prevent auto accidents. This punishment, inflicted by Police Judge Joseph Sawicki on convicted traffic violators, consists in compelling the careless drivers to gaze on the faces of dead auto victims at the morgue, or to visit crippled children's wards at local hospitals.

Other unusual punishments also are being tried out here to halt the auto death toll, which since Jan. 1 is more than 150 and mounting steadily. Auto license plates of careless drivers are being confiscated in the new crusade against the traffic violator. Stiffer jail sentences and larger fines are being imposed.

HISTORIC PLANE TO GO UNDER HAMMER

BELGRADE, Nov. 29.—It is reported from Budapest that the Hungarian authorities are about to sell by auction the airplane which the ex-emperor Charles used on his famous flight from Switzerland to Hungary, three years ago, in order to claim the throne of Hungary. The amount realized from this sale will be sent to the ex-empress Zita in her exile at Lequiere.

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